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PREFACE

The unpublished Data Report Series is intended as a readily available source of basic data collected for lakes and watersheds in the Muskoka-Haliburton area of Ontario. These data were collected as part of the Lakeshore Capacity Study and/or the Acid Precipitation in Ontario Study.

The limnological portion of the Lakeshore Capacity Study (1975-81) was initiated to investigate the relationships between lakeshore development and lake trophic status in low ionic strength Precambrian lakes. The Acid Precipitation in Ontario Study (1979 - present) was initiated, in part, to investigate the effects of the deposition of strong acids on aquatic and terrestrial ecosystems in Ontario. The primary findings of these studies have been and will continue to be published as reviewed papers and technical reports.

ABSTRACT

To determine the influence of lake acidification and trace metal contamination on aquatic plant communities, a survey was conducted of 46 lakes of varying pH and metal levels in southern Ontario. The occurrence, distribution and abundance of vascular and non-vascular aquatic macrophytes in these lakes is detailed in this report. Maps are also presented showing locations of all sampling transects.

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Introduction

Personnel of the Limnology Unit of the Ontario Ministry of the Environment surveyed the aquatic macrophyte communities of 46 soft-water Canadian Shield lakes on one occasion during the summers of 1977, 1978 or 1979. The survey was performed with two general purposes: firstly, to determine if the acidification of lakes in Ontario has produced changes in the richness, composition, abundance and/or distribution of vascular and non-vascular communities of aquatic macrophytes; secondly, to examine regional patterns of accumulation of potentially toxic trace metals in common macrophyte species. Three of the lakes were sampled more frequently and intensively to determine if the acidification and/or trace metal contamination of Ontario lakes might alter the standing stock of macrophyte communities. Most results of these investigations are presented elsewhere (Wile and Miller 1983, Miller *et al.*, 1983, Wile *et al.*, 1985 and Yan *et al.* in prep.). Methodological details of the survey and detailed data on plant occurrences are provided in this report. Information on depth distribution of species and nominal expressions of plant cover abundance are also presented as these aspects of the data are not presented elsewhere.

The study lakes were located in the Sudbury, Killarney, Parry Sound and Haliburton-Muskoka regions

of Ontario (Fig. 1, Table 1). Several of the Sudbury and Killarney lakes were very acidic (Table 1), and many lakes close to Sudbury were additionally contaminated with trace metals, Cu and Ni in particular. Elevated levels of these metals are attributable to industrial operations in the Sudbury area (Ontario Ministry of the Environment, 1982). Six of the lakes have been chemically manipulated in recent years by additions of base (Middle, Hannah, Lohi and Nelson Lakes), or nutrients (Labelle Lake) as described by Ontario Ministry of the Environment (1982) or alkaline waters (Lake #8 of Gorham and Gordon, 1963). With the exception of Labelle Lake, all these manipulations resulted in substantial elevations in lake pH.

METHODS

Chemistry

In 1978 and 1979 lake water pH was measured in the field during the macrophyte survey. Measurements were taken in situ in 1 to 3 of the macrophyte sampling areas (see below) with a Radiometer Model 29 pH meter. The probe was calibrated using buffer solutions of pH 4 and 7 prior to the first measurement on each lake, and readings were taken after the meter had stabilized (<5 min.). The pH data for the 4 lakes sampled in 1977 were means for the ice-free season for whole lake

composite samples taken from Ontario Ministry of the Environment (1982).

Metal concentrations of surficial sediments were determined for all lakes as described by Miller *et al.* (1983). Where no other analyses were available, metal analyses of lake water were performed on epilimnetic composites taken with a 2.5 cm diameter plastic tygon tube, dispensed into acid-washed plastic bottles and analysed by methods described elsewhere (Ontario Ministry of the Environment, 1981). Trace metal concentrations for the other lakes were assembled from a variety of sources. Superscripts listed below identify these sources in Table 1.

¹this study

²mean ice-free period whole lake composite for 1978, or 1977 for Swan Lake (Ontario Ministry of the Environment, 1982).

³ whole lake arithmetic mean of 1978 and 1979 data (Ontario Ministry of the Environment, unpublished data).

⁴mean of 1-4 epilimnetic composite samples from 1979 and 1980 (Ontario Ministry of the Environment, unpublished data).

⁵mean ice-free period whole lake composite for 1980 (Ontario Ministry of the Environment, unpublished data).

⁶mean of 1-3 epilimnetic composite samples for 1982

(Keller, unpublished data).

Secchi transparencies were also taken from various sources. Superscripts listed below identify these sources in Table 4.

¹mean of 3-4 summer values for 1979 (Ontario Ministry of the Environment, unpublished data).

²ice-free season mean for the year of sampling (Ontario Ministry of the Environment, unpublished data).

³ice-free season mean for the year of sampling (Ontario Ministry of the Environment, 1982).

⁴mean of 5 values from 1975 to 1976 (Ontario Ministry of the Environment, 1978).

⁵Bleiwas (1980).

⁶Stokes (unpublished data).

⁷mean ice-free season data for 1972 (Ontario Ministry of the Environment, unpublished data).

Macrophytes

Following a preliminary visual examination of each lake, 1-31 sampling sites (usually 5-15) were selected for detailed survey, the number of sites determined by lake size and heterogeneity of the aquatic plant community. Sites of generally high richness (eg. shallow bays and the zone near stream mouths) and low richness were visited. At each site an approximately 10 m wide transect extending from shore to the maximum

depth of plant growth was examined by divers using snorkeling and/or scuba gear. Numbers of transects varied widely among the lakes, but the species richness of vascular macrophytes was not correlated with numbers of transects visited (Figure 2).

Four of the lakes were surveyed in a slightly different way. Divers surveyed the entire perimeter of two small lakes, Kramer Lake and lake #14 of Gorham and Gordon (1963). These lakes are identified as having only 1 transect. The biomass sampling program necessitated surveying the entire shoreline of Harp and Red Chalk Lakes. Hence, "transects" were long segments of shoreline for these two lakes.

Significant changes in plant cover abundance and composition along the transects, usually coinciding with changes in depth, were used to divide transects into "depth zones", areas of similar relative occurrence and relative and total abundance of species. The occurrence of all species of Tracheophyta (vascular plants), aquatic Musci (bryophytes) and Charophyta (stoneworts) was recorded within each depth zone. Additionally, the total bottom coverage of all plants and, independently, of each species was visually estimated within each depth zone, and assigned to 3 nominal categories: <5%, 5-50% and 50-100% cover.

Ten and 29 lakes were surveyed during the summers of 1978 and 1979, respectively. The 4 lakes surveyed in 1977 (Labelle, Middle, Nelson and Swan) received a

somewhat more cursory examination. The three additional lakes sampled in 1978 as part of the macrophyte biomass study were surveyed more intensively and on 4 occasions during the icefree season.

Tables A1 to A46, in this report, present sampling dates, numbers of transects sampled, species richness and occurrence, and cover abundance rankings for each species and for the entire plant community for each depth zone on each transect for each lake. Transect locations and additional information are indicated in Figures A1 to A46.

Macrophyte Occurrence, Depth Distribution and Abundance

A total of 79 plant species were identified. Fifty were vascular macrophytes (Table 2), 23 were aquatic mosses and 6 were stoneworts (Table 3). Maximum depths of occurrence of plants in each lake are given in Table 4. There was a positive relationship between maximum plant depth and water clarity as measured by Secchi depth ($r = 0.48$, $p < 0.005$, $n = 35$) as has been frequently observed (Hutchinson 1975).

The range of depths of plant occurrence varied among species (Fig. 3), generally resulting in a vertical zonation of species. Shallow areas (0 - 2m) were usually populated by species with rosette growth forms, particularly *Eriocaulon septangulare* and *Eleocharis acicularis*, and by species with floating

leaves. *Isoetes* sp., *Utricularia vulgaris*, *U. purpurea* and/or *Potamogeton confervoides* normally dominated deeper waters from 2 to 6 or occasionally 8m. In 15 of the 46 lakes stoneworts and mosses extended the limit of plant growth beyond that reached by the vascular macrophytes (Table 4).

Thirty-one of the fifty macrophyte species occurred in 5 or more lakes, and 14 of these attained 50% bottom cover along at least one transect in 1 or more lakes. These 14 species were ranked in terms of their frequency of occurrence in the lakes and the proportion of lakes in which they attained 50% bottom cover along a transect using data from Table 5. The resulting ranks of frequency and cover abundance are illustrated in Figure 4. In decreasing order, the five most frequently encountered taxa were *Eriocaulon septangulare*, *Eleocharis acicularis*, *Nuphar variegatum*, *Isoetes* spp. and *Juncus pelocarpus*. The five most frequently abundant taxa were *Eriocaulon septangulare*, *Myriophyllum tenellum*, *Potamogeton confervoides*, *Isoetes* spp. and *Utricularia purpurea* (Figure 4).

Total plant cover in the 46 lakes was compared as follows. The maximum reported cover abundance of all aquatic plants on each transect, i.e., for a depth zone on the transect, was assigned to one of the three nominal cover abundance categories of low cover (<5%), moderate cover (5 - 50%) or high cover (>50%). The

proportion of all transects exhibiting each abundance ranking for each lake is compared in Figure 5. Lakes are arranged generally in order of decreasing proportional cover abundance.

There is an apparent relationship between plant cover abundance and lake pH evident in Figure 5. Plant cover exceeded 50% on proportionately more transects in the acidic lakes. This pattern is more evident in Figure 6, which gives scattergrams of the relationship between pH and the proportion of transects on each lake with high, moderate or low cover. This observation substantiates observations from the three lakes in which biomass was determined by destructive harvesting of large numbers of quadrats (Wile *et al.*, 1985).

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Table 1. Summary of locations, pH and Ni levels of the survey lakes. Region codes are 1(Muskoka-Haliburton), 2(Killarney), 3(Parry Sound) and 4(Sudbury). Lake codes are used to identify the lakes in subsequent tables. Superscripts for Ni are given in text.

Lake	Lake Code	Region	Township	pH	Ni (mg m ⁻³)
Axe	1	3	Monteith	4.4	<2 ¹
Bell	2	2	Groschen	4.8	11 ⁶
Brandy	3	1	Watt	6.4	2 ⁴
Carlyle	4	2	Carlyle	4.6	6 ⁶
Chub	5	1	Ridout	6.2	<2 ³
Cinder	6	1	Hindon	5.3	<2 ⁴
Clear	7	1	Oakley	6.4	<2 ⁴
Clearwater	8	4	Tilton & Broder	4.4	260 ²
Crosson	9	1	Oakley	5.3	<2 ³
Dickie	10	1	McLean	6.0	<2 ³
Fawn	11	1	Macaulay & Stephenson	5.3	<2 ³
Freeland	12	2	Killarney	4.3	<20 ¹
Frood	13	2	Curtin	6.6	5 ¹
George	14	2	Killarney	4.8	6 ⁶
G. & G. 4 ¹	15	4	Garson	5.1	120 ¹
G. & G. 8 ¹	16	4	Garson	6.9	58 ¹
(Norway)					
G. & G. 14 ¹	17	4	Garson	3.9	660 ¹
G. & G. 21 ¹	18	4	Broder	5.5	220 ¹
G. & G. 54 ¹	19	4	Snider	4.7	3700 ¹
(Clara Belle)					
G. & G. 75 ¹	20	4	Cleland	5.2	85 ¹
G. & G. 94 ¹	21	4	Dowling	5.7	<2 ¹
G. & G. 103 ¹	22	4	Moncrieff	6.0	3 ¹
Gullfeather	23	1	Oakley	5.8	<2 ³
Hannah	24	4	Broder	7.1	310 ²
Harp	25	1	Chaffey	6.8	<2 ³
Healey	26	1	Macaulay	5.6	<2 ⁴
Heney	27	1	McLean	5.5	<4 ³
Hillman	28	1	Monck	6.3	-
Horn	29	3	Monteith	4.2	<2 ¹
Kramer ²	30	2	Curtin	4.0	4 ¹
Labelle	31	4	Lumsden	6.3	19 ²
Leech	32	1	Oakley	5.7	<3 ⁴
Leonard	33	1	Monck	5.5	3 ⁴
Little Clear	34	1	Sinclair	6.9	<2 ³
Little Otter	35	3	Foley	6.5	-
Lohi	36	4	Broder	4.8	240 ²
McKay	37	1	Draper	5.6	<3 ⁴
Middle	38	4	Broder	6.5	350 ²
Moot	39	1	McLean	5.9	2 ⁴
Nelson	40	4	Bowell	6.4	7 ²
Otter	41	3	Foley	6.4	-
Plastic	42	1	Sherborne	5.2	<3 ⁵
Red Chalk	43	1	Ridout	6.6	2 ³
Solitaire	44	1	Sinclair	7.0	<2 ³
Swan ³	45	4	Broder	3.9	300 ²
Terry	46	2	Carlyle	4.5	22 ⁶

¹ from Gorham and Gordon (1963)

² identified by principal investigator

³ local name only

Table 2 Occurrence of vascular macrophytes in the survey lakes. Lake codes are given in Table 1.

TAXA		LAKE CODE																						
		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23
<i>Brasenia Schreberi</i> Gmel.	21	x	x	x	x	x	x	x		x	x	x	x	x	x							x		x
<i>Callitriche</i> sp.	1																							
<i>Ceratophyllum demersum</i> L.	1														x									
<i>Elatine minima</i> (Nutt.) Fisch.&Meyer	12		x	x				x			x				x	x								
<i>Eleocharis acicularis</i> (L.) R.&S.	38	x	x	x	x			x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x			x	x	x	x	x
<i>Eleocharis Robbinsii</i> Oakes	9		x		x					x					x									
<i>Elodea</i> sp.	2																							
<i>Eriocaulon septangulare</i> With.	39	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x				x			x	x	x
<i>Isoetes</i> sp.	31	x	x	x	x			x		x	x	x	x	x	x							x	x	x
<i>Juncus militaris</i> Bigelow	20	x	x		x					x	x	x	x	x										x
<i>Juncus pelocarpus</i> Meyer	30	x	x	x	x			x	x		x	x			x	x	x	x			x			x
<i>Juncus</i> sp.	1																		x					
<i>Lobelia Dortmanna</i> L.	27	x	x		x	x			x	x					x	x							x	x
<i>Lycopus</i> sp.	24		x		x	x	x		x	x	x	x	x	x	x								x	x
<i>Myriophyllum alterniflorum</i> D.C.	1														x									
<i>Myriophyllum Farwellii</i> Morong.	6		x		x										x	x								
<i>Myriophyllum tenellum</i> Bigelow	24	x	x		x				x		x				x	x						x	x	x
<i>Myriophyllum heterophyllum</i> Michx.	2							x							x									
<i>Najas flexilis</i> (Willd.) R.&S.	5			x																				
<i>Nuphar variegatum</i> Engelm.	32	x	x	x	x	x	x			x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x			x		x	x	x
<i>Nymphaea odorata</i> Ait.	25	x	x	x	x	x	x			x	x	x	x	x								x	x	x
<i>Nymphoides cordatum</i> (Ell.) Fernald.	9	x	x		x	x									x									
<i>Polygonum natans</i> Eaton	3							x							x									
<i>Pontederia cordata</i> L.	30	x	x	x	x	x	x			x	x	x	x	x	x							x		x
<i>Potamogeton amplifolius</i> Tuckerm	2														x									
<i>Potamogeton Berchtoldii</i> Fieber	6		x			x									x								x	
<i>Potamogeton bicipulatus</i> Fernald.	1																							
<i>Potamogeton capillaceus</i> Poiret	5		x									x			x									
<i>Potamogeton confervoides</i> Reichenb.	9	x	x		x									x		x								
<i>Potamogeton ephedrus</i> Raf.	27	x	x	x	x	x				x	x	x	x	x	x							x	x	x
<i>Potamogeton foliosus</i> Raf.	3		x												x									
<i>Potamogeton natans</i> L.	15	x	x			x				x		x	x	x									x	x
<i>Potamogeton Oakesianus</i> Robbins	9	x				x						x	x											x
<i>Potamogeton obtusifolius</i> Mert.&Kock.	2														x									
<i>Potamogeton pusillus</i> L.	3																		x					
<i>Potamogeton Richardsonii</i> (Benn.) Rydb.	1														x									
<i>Potamogeton Robbinsii</i> Oakes	2																							
<i>Potamogeton Spirillis</i> Tuckerm.	2														x							x		
<i>Potamogeton Vaseyi</i> Robbins	2																							
<i>Ranunculus reptans</i> L.	5				x										x	x								
<i>Sagittaria</i> sp.	18		x	x	x							x			x	x	x	x					x	x
<i>Sparganium</i> sp.	31		x		x	x	x	x		x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x				x	x	x
<i>Utricularia cornuta</i> Michx.	3		x																					
<i>Utricularia gibba</i> L.	6		x										x		x								x	x
<i>Utricularia intermedia</i> Hayne	6		x												x									x
<i>Utricularia minor</i> L.	1																							
<i>Utricularia purpurea</i> Walt.	22		x	x		x	x	x		x	x			x	x	x							x	x
<i>Utricularia resupinata</i> B.D. Greene	20		x	x	x	x	x			x	x	x												x
<i>Utricularia vulgaris</i> L.	29		x	x		x		x	x	x				x	x	x							x	x
<i>Vallisneria americana</i> Michx.	8		x	x									x		x									

Total Number of Taxa

21, 27, 14, 24, 15, 12, 12, 6, 17, 18, 19, 16, 39, 19, 5, 6, 2, 3, 2, 9, 16, 19, 17

Table 2. Occurrence of vascular macrophytes in the survey lakes. Lake codes are given in Table 1.
Cont'd

TAXA		LAKE CODE																								
		24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40	41	42	43	44	45	46		
Brasenia Schreberi Gmel.	21			x	x	x	x								x										x	
Callitriche sp.	1												x													
Ceratophyllum demersum L.	1																									
Elatine minima (Nutt.) Fisch.&Meyer	12									x	x		x						x	x			x			
Eleocharis acicularis (L.) R.&S.	38	x	x	x	x		x			x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x			x		
Eleocharis Robbinsii Oakes	9					x								x	x		x		x							
Elodea sp.	2												x													
Eriocaulon septangulare With.	39	x	x	x	x	x			x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	
Isoetes sp.	31	x	x	x	x					x	x	x	x		x		x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	
Juncus militaris Bigelow	20			x	x	x	x						x		x			x		x					x	
Juncus pelocarpus Meyer	30	x	x	x	x	x				x	x	x	x	x	x	x			x	x		x	x			
Juncus sp.	1																									
Lobelia Dortmanna L.	27		x	x	x				x	x	x	x	x		x		x	x	x	x	x	x				
Lycopus sp.	24				x		x	x		x	x	x	x		x		x		x						x	
Myriophyllum alterniflorum D.C.	1																									
Myriophyllum Farwellii Morong.	6									x																
Myriophyllum tenellum Bigelow	24			x	x	x				x	x	x		x	x		x	x	x	x	x					
Myriophyllum heterophyllum Michx.	2																									
Najas flexilis (Willd.) R.&S.	5					x	x						x													
Nuphar variegatum Engelm.	32		x			x	x			x	x	x				x		x		x	x	x			x	
Nymphaea odorata Ait.	25			x	x	x	x	x							x				x	x	x					
Nymphoides cordatum (Ell.) Fernald.	9			x	x						x														x	
Polygonum natans Eaton	3							x																		
Pontederia cordata L.	30	x	x	x	x	x	x			x	x	x	x		x		x		x	x					x	
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Potamogeton capillaceus Poiret	5					x																				
Potamogeton confervoides Reichenb.	9			x	x										x										x	
Potamogeton epihydrus Raf.	27			x	x	x	x			x		x	x		x		x		x	x					x	
Potamogeton foliosus Raf.	3							x																		
Potamogeton natans L.	15			x	x			x		x						x				x						
Potamogeton Oakesianus Robbins.	9					x	x				x					x										
Potamogeton obtusifolius Mert.&Kock.	2						x																			
Potamogeton pusillus L.	3						x																			
Potamogeton Richardsonii (Benn.) Rydb.	1																									
Potamogeton Robbinsii Oakes	2						x						x													
Potamogeton Spirillis Tuckerm.	2																									
Potamogeton Vaseyi Robbins	1													x												
Ranunculus reptans L.	5													x												
Sagittaria sp.	18		x											x			x	x		x	x				x	
Sparganium sp.	31			x	x	x		x			x	x	x				x		x		x	x			x	
Utricularia cornuta Michx.	3								x	x																
Utricularia gibba L.	6						x																			
Utricularia intermedia Hayne	6				x			x																		
Utricularia minor L.	1			x																						
Utricularia purpurea Walt.	22				x	x	x					x	x	x						x	x	x			x	
Utricularia resupinata B.D. Green	20		x		x	x	x				x	x					x			x	x					
Utricularia vulgaris L.	29			x	x	x	x	x	x		x			x	x	x			x		x	x	x		x	
Vallisneria americana Michx.	8					x								x	x		x									
Total number of taxa		7	10	20	25	18	14	4	5	14	15	14	20	6	22	4	14	8	23	15	11	5	3	14		

Table 3. Occurrence of aquatic mosses (Musci) and stoneworts (Characeae) in the survey lakes. Lake codes from Table 1.

		LAKE CODE																						
TAXA	no. of lakes	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23
<u>CHARACEAE</u>																								
Chara vulgaris L.	1													x										
Nitella flexilis (L.) Ag.	7			x								x										x		
Nitella furcata (Roxb. ex Bruz) Ag.	2																							
Nitella gracilis (Sm.) Ag.	1																							
Nitella tenuissima (Desv.) Kutz.	10			x		x						x		x								x	x	
Nitella sp.	3													x										
<u>MUSCI</u>																								
Cladopodiella fluitans (Nees) Buch.	2								x									x						
Drepanocladus exannulatus (B.S.G.) Warnst.	8				x				x						x	x					x	x	x	
Drepanocladus sp.	8	x	x											x										
Fissidens fontanus (B. Pyl) Steud.	1											x												
Fontinalis antipyretica Hedw.	26	x		x		x	x	x		x	x	x		x								x		x
Fontinalis hypnoides duriaei	1									x														
Fontinalis duriaei Schimp.	2																							
Fontinalis nova-angliae Sull.	1																							
Fontinalis sp.	3		x		x										x									
Gymnocolea inflata (Huds.) Dum.	1		x																					
Hygroamblystegium tenax (Hedw.) Jenn.	1			x											x									
Pohlia nutans schimperii (Hedw.) Lindb.	4															x		x		x				
Sphagnum cuspidatum Ehrh.	9	x	x		x				x			x												
Sphagnum fimbriatum	1							x																
Sphagnum majus (Russ.) C. Jens.	1		x																					
Sphagnum palustre L.	2							x														x		
Sphagnum pylaesii Brid.	1				x																			
Sphagnum recurvum amblyphyllum	1				x																			
Sphagnum subsecundum contortum (Schultz) Hub.	6				x		x						x											x
Sphagnum subsecundum inundatum (Russ.) (Jens)	1						x																	
Sphagnum subsecundum platyphyllum Card.	10		x					x				x			x						x	x		
Sphagnum teres (Schimp.) Angstr.	1														x									
Sphagnum sp.	4					x																		
Total number of taxa		3	6	4	6	3	4	4	2	2	1	6	1	5	5	2	1	2	1	1	2	6	2	2

Table 3. Occurrence of aquatic mosses (Musci) and stoneworts (Characeae) in the survey lakes. Lake codes Con't. from Table 1.

		LAKE CODE																										
TAXA	no. of lakes	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40	41	42	43	44	45	46				
CHARACEAE																												
<i>Chara vulgaris</i> L.	1																											
<i>Nitella flexilis</i> (L.) Ag.	7		x							x		x			x													
<i>Nitella furcata</i> (Roxb. ex Bruz) Ag.	2												x						x									
<i>Nitella aracilis</i> (Sm.) Ag.	1				x																							
<i>Nitella tenuissima</i> (Desv.) Kutz.	10				x								x						x	x								
<i>Nitella</i> sp.	3					x			x																			
MUSCI																												
<i>Cladopodiella fluitans</i> (Nees) Buch.	2																											
<i>Drepanocladus exannulatus</i> (B.S.G.) Warnst	8						x																					
<i>Drepanocladus</i> sp.	8 x									x				x				x						x				
<i>Fissidens fontanus</i> (B. Pyl) Steud.	1																											
<i>Fontinalis antipyretica</i> Hedw.	26		x	x	x		x			x	x	x	x		x		x		x	x	x	x			x			
<i>Fontinalis hypnoides duriaei</i>	1																											
<i>Fontinalis duriaei</i> Schimp.	2												x		x													
<i>Fontinalis nova-angliae</i> sull.	1														x													
<i>Fontinalis</i> sp.	3																											
<i>Gymnocolea inflata</i> (Huds.) Dum.	1																											
<i>Hygroamblystegium tenax</i> (Hedw.) Jenn.	1																											
<i>Pohlia nutans schimperii</i> (Hedw.) Lindb.	4																								x			
<i>Sphagnum cuspidatum</i> Ehrh.	9			x			x	x								x												
<i>Sphagnum fimbriatum</i>	1																											
<i>Sphagnum majus</i> (Russ.) C. Jens.	1																											
<i>Sphagnum palustre</i> L.	2																											
<i>Sphagnum pylaesii</i> Brid.	1																											
<i>Sphagnum recurvum amblyphyllum</i>	1																											
<i>Sphagnum subsecundum contortum</i> (Schultz) Hub.	6																		x						x			
<i>Sphagnum subsecundum inundatum</i> (Russ.) (Jens)	1																											
<i>Sphagnum subsecundum platyphyllum</i> Card.	10							x								x			x	x								
<i>Sphagnum teres</i> (Schimp.) Angstr.	1																											
<i>Sphagnum</i> sp.	4		x		x							x																
Total Number of taxa		1	3	2	4	1	4	1	1	3	2	2	4	1	6		1	1	5	3	1	1	1		3			

Table 4. Secchi transparency and maximum depth of occurrence of vascular macrophytes in the survey lakes. Moss and stonewort maximum depths are given where they exceed the deepest occurrence of vascular plants.

LAKE	Secchi Transparency (m)	Maximum Depth of Plants (m)		
		Vascular	Moss	Stonewort
Axe	1.5 ¹	3.0		
Bell	5.5 ⁴	6.5		
Brandy	1.2 ¹	1.3		
Carlyle	7.4 ⁶	6.0	10.0	
Chub	3.0 ²	2.5		
Cinder	2.5 ¹	3.0	4.0	
Clear	8.0 ¹	1.8		
Clearwater	9.7 ³	4.0	8.0	
Crosson	3.4 ²	2.0		
Dickie	3.0 ²	2.0	3.0	
Fawn	1.5 ¹	1.5		2.3
Freeland	-	3.0		
Frood	5.4 ⁵	6.0		7.5
George	9.6 ⁶	8.0	18.0	
G.&G. 4	-	1.8	5.0	
G.&G. 8	-	3.0		
G.&G. 14	-	1.5		
G.&G. 21	-	2.5		
G.&G. 54	-	3.0	4.0	
G.&G. 75	-	5.0	8.0	
G.&G. 94	-	4.0		6.5
G.&G. 103	-	3.0		
Gullfeather	2.2 ²	1.5		
Hannah	4.5 ³	4.5		
Harp	4.3 ²	3.0		
Healey	1.7 ¹	3.0		
Heney	4.1 ¹	4.0		
Hillman	3.2 ¹	3.0		
Horn	1.3 ⁴	2.2		
Kramer	-	5.0		
Labelle	3.8 ³	2.0		
Leech	4.4 ¹	2.5		
Leonard	5.8 ¹	4.0		
Little Clear	5.5 ²	1.7	2.0	
Little Otter	2.5 ⁷	4.0		
Lohi	9.3 ³	5.0	6.0	
McKay	2.6 ¹	5.5		
Middle	4.3 ³	1.0		
Moot	1.5 ¹	1.3		
Nelson	7.8 ³	4.5		
Otter	4.6 ⁷	6.0		
Plastic	5.6 ¹	5.0	9.0	
Red Chalk	6.5 ²	4.0		
Solitaire	8.4 ²	3.5		
Swan	6.7 ³	2.0		
Terry	3.8 ⁶	6.0	8.0	

Table 5. Distribution in three cover abundance rankings of the maximum reported cover in each lake for 31 common vascular macrophytes. Number of lakes in which each species occurred is also indicated.

SPECIES	no. of Lakes	% of lakes with nominal abundance		
		<5%	5-50%	50-100%
<i>Brasenia Schreberi</i>	21	71	29	
<i>Elatine minima</i>	12	83	17	
<i>Eleocharis acicularis</i>	38	47	37	16
<i>Eriocaulon septangulare</i>	39	8	44	48
<i>Isoetes</i> sp.	31	45	32	23
<i>Juncus pelocarpus</i>	30	63	34	3
<i>Juncus militaris</i>	20	65	25	10
<i>Lobelia Dortmanna</i>	27	70	30	
<i>Lycopus</i> sp.	24	100		
<i>Myriophyllum Farwellii</i>	6	50	50	
<i>Myriophyllum tenellum</i>	24	33	29	38
<i>Najas flexilis</i>	5	40	60	
<i>Nuphar variegatum</i>	33	88	9	3
<i>Nymphaea odorata</i>	24	42	58	
<i>Nymphoides cordatum</i>	9	56	33	11
<i>Pontederia cordata</i>	30	90	10	
<i>Potamogeton Berchtoldii</i>	6	100		
<i>Potamogeton capillaceus</i>	5	60	20	
<i>Potamogeton confervoides</i>	9	44	22	34
<i>Potamogeton epihydrus</i>	27	74	26	
<i>Potamogeton natans</i>	15	93	7	
<i>Potamogeton Oakesianus</i>	9	100		
<i>Ranunculus reptans</i>	5	100		
<i>Sagittaria</i> sp.	18	61	33	6
<i>Sparganium</i> sp.	31	90	10	
<i>Utricularia gibba</i>	6	100		
<i>Utricularia intermedia</i>	6	100		
<i>Utricularia purpurea</i>	22	41	41	18
<i>Utricularia resupinata</i>	20	30	60	10
<i>Utricularia vulgaris</i>	28	75	18	7
<i>Vallisneria americana</i>	8	25	63	12

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Figure 1

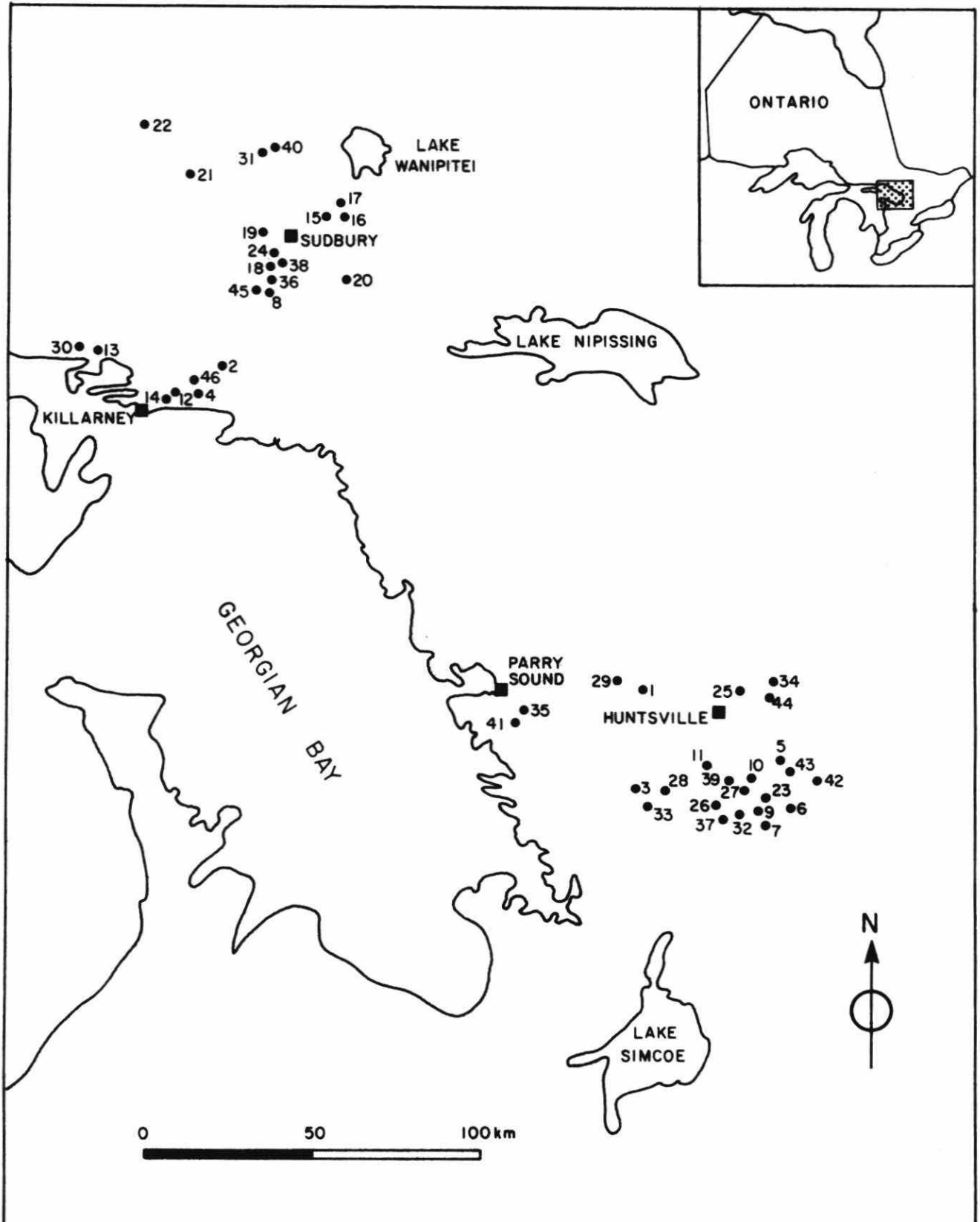


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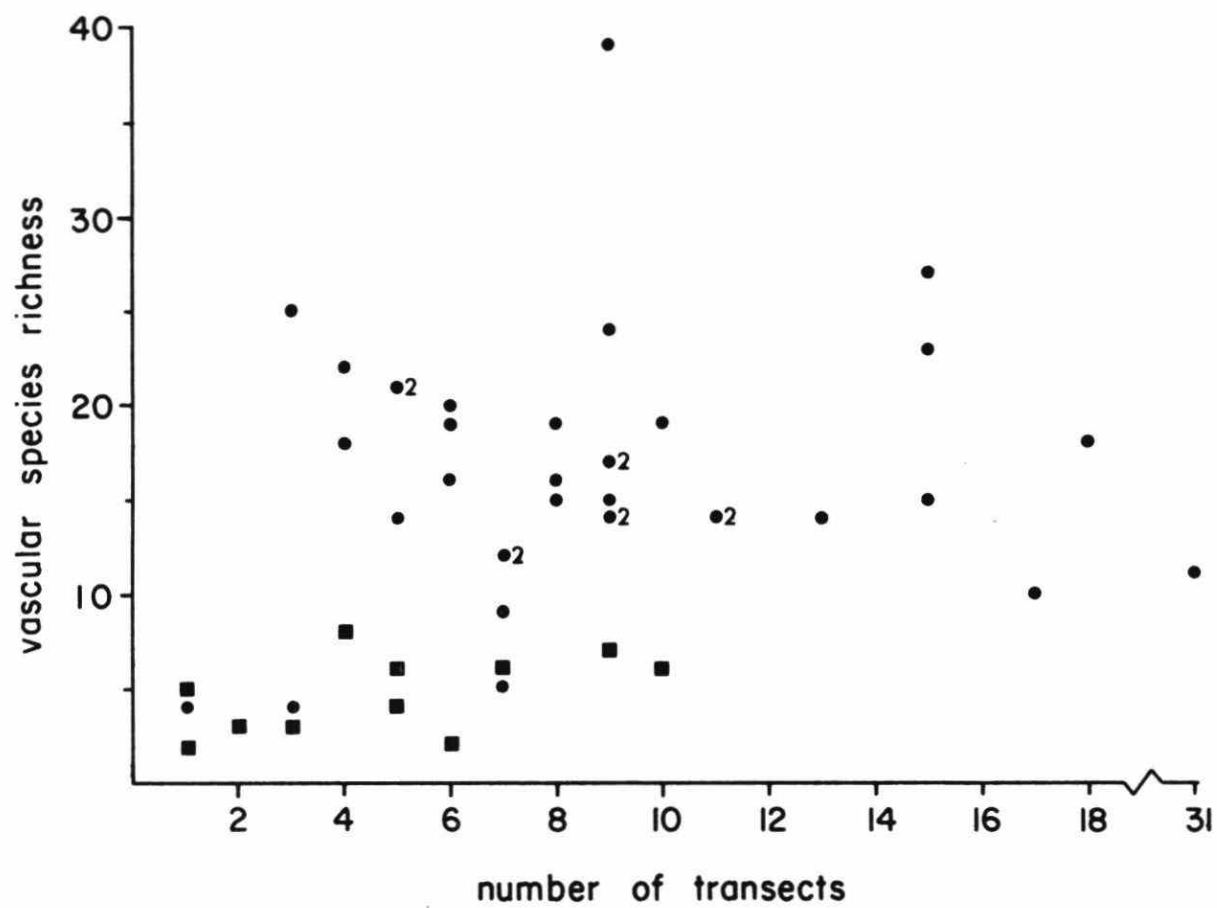
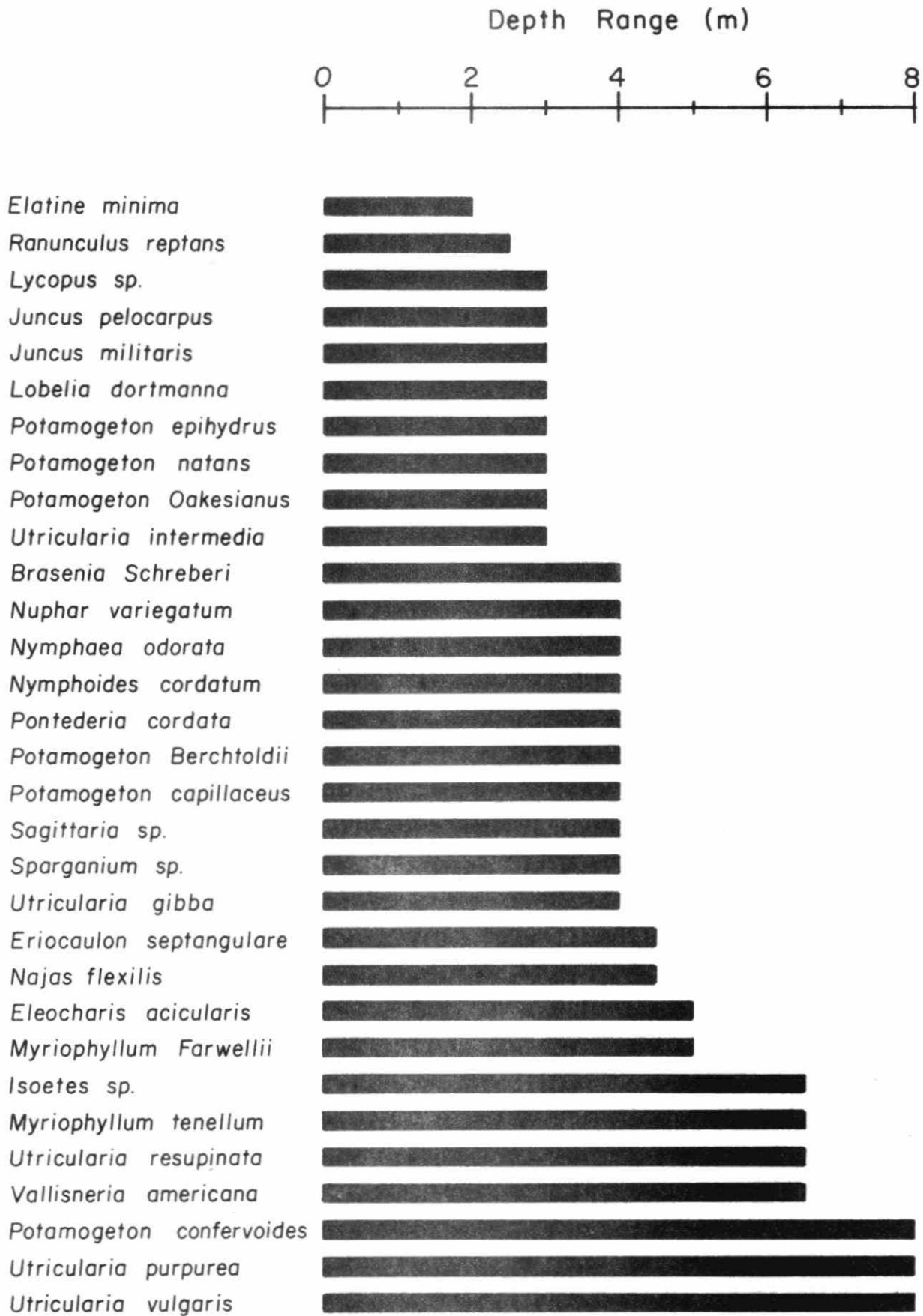
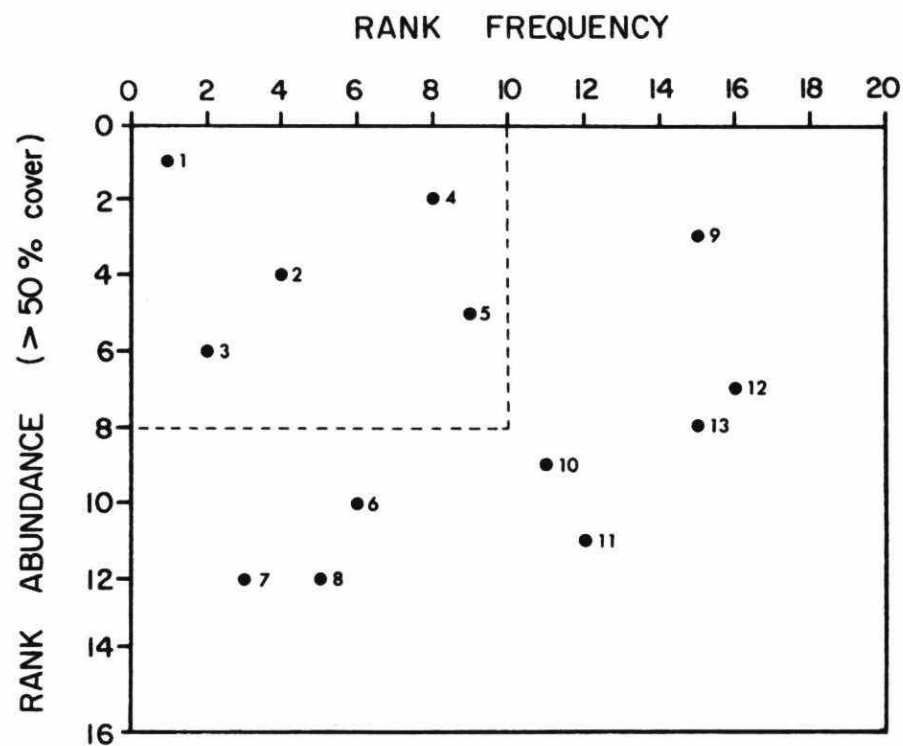


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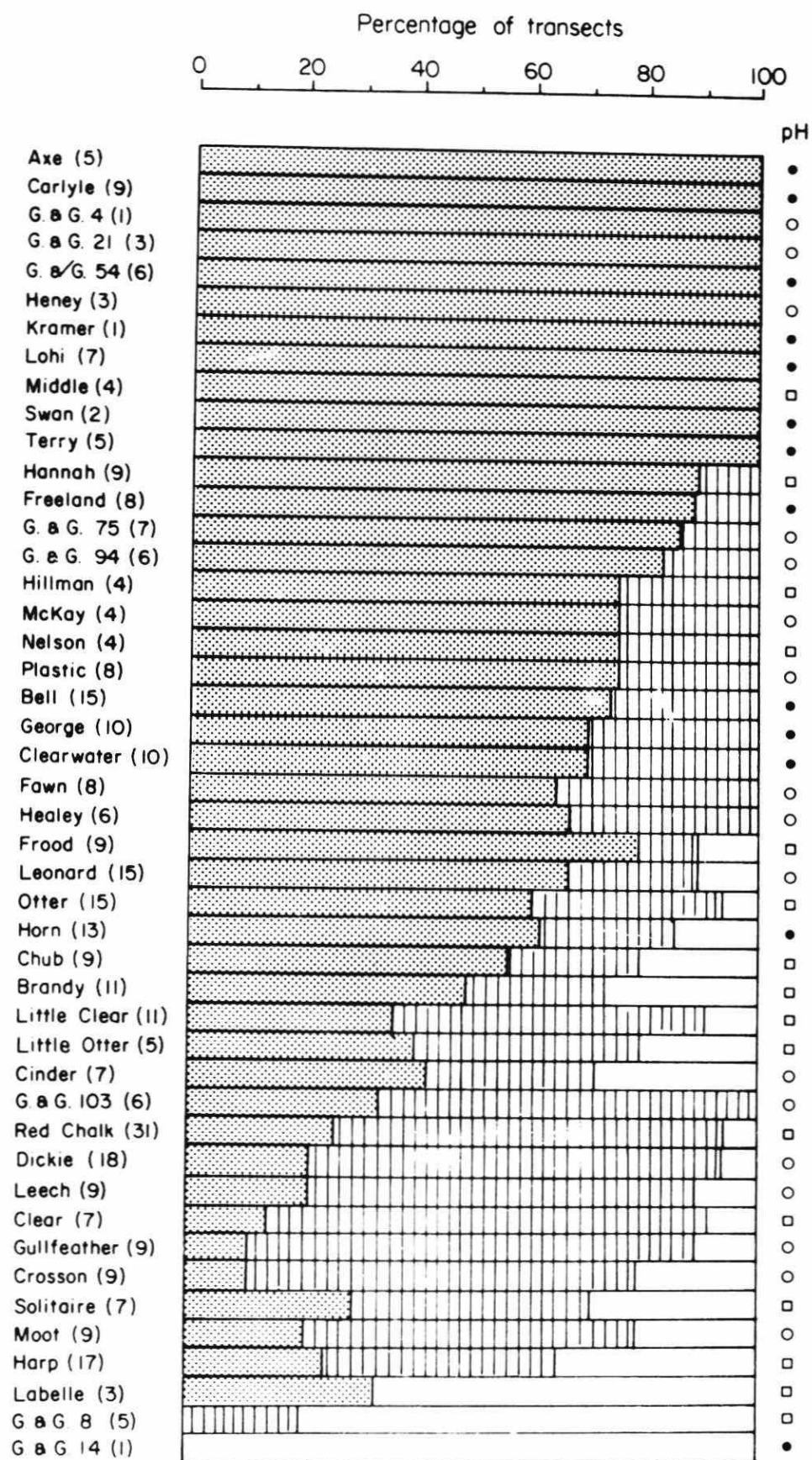




- 1 *Eriocaulon septangulare*
- 2 *Isoetes* spp.
- 3 *Eleocharis acicularis*
- 4 *Myriophyllum tenellum*
- 5 *Utricularia purpurea*
- 6 *Utricularia vulgaris*
- 7 *Nuphar variegatum*
- 8 *Juncus pelocarpus*
- 9 *Potamogeton confervoides*
- 10 *Juncus militaris, Utricularia intermedia*
- 11 *Sagittaria* spp.
- 12 *Vallisneria americana*
- 13 *Nymphoides cordatum*

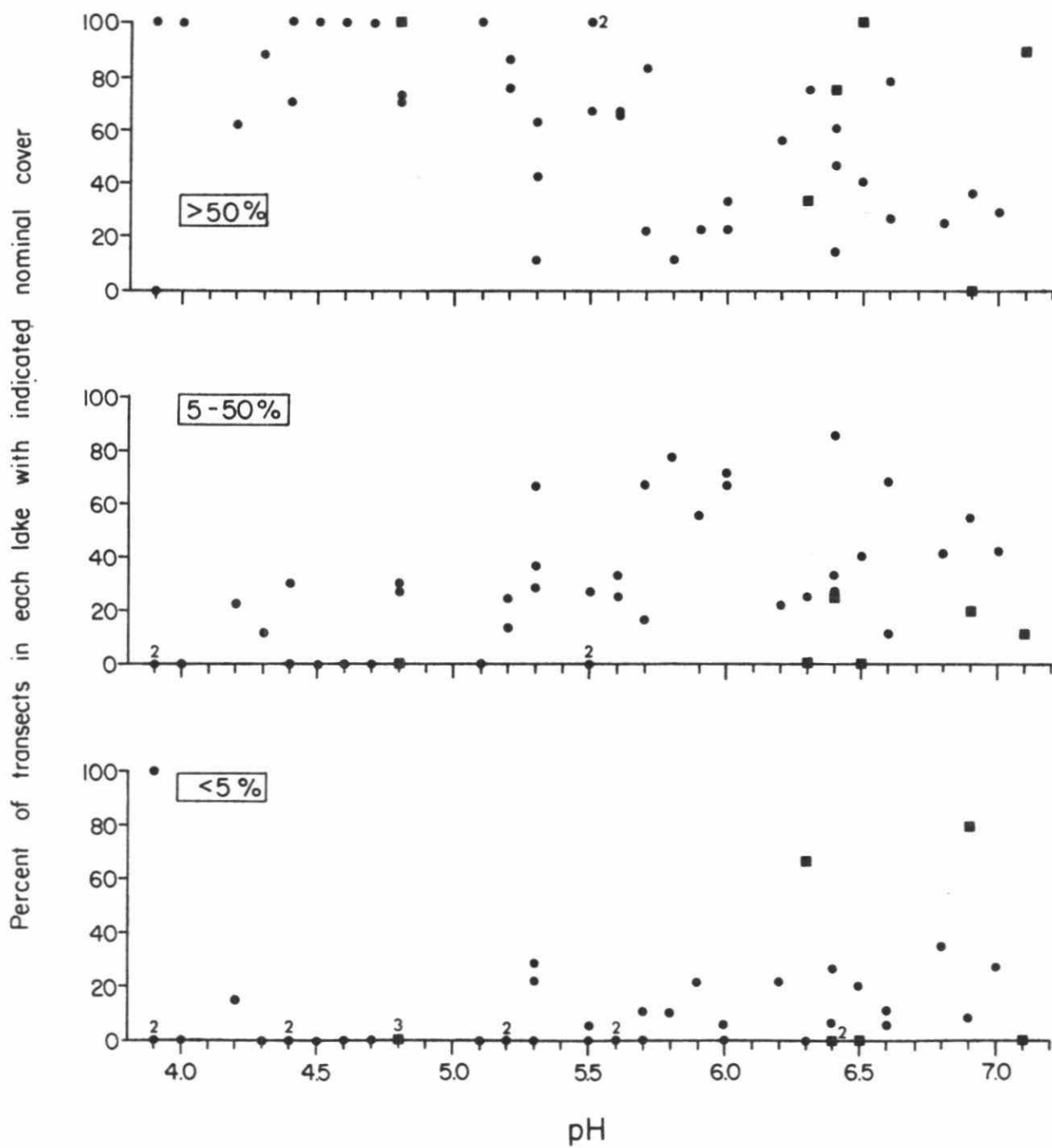
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Figure 5



Percent of transects with maximum abundance of aquatic plants
 >50% (stippled), 5-50% (vertical lines) and <5% (white).
 pH intervals are indicated as pH < 5 (•), 5-6 (○) and > 6 (□).

Figure 6



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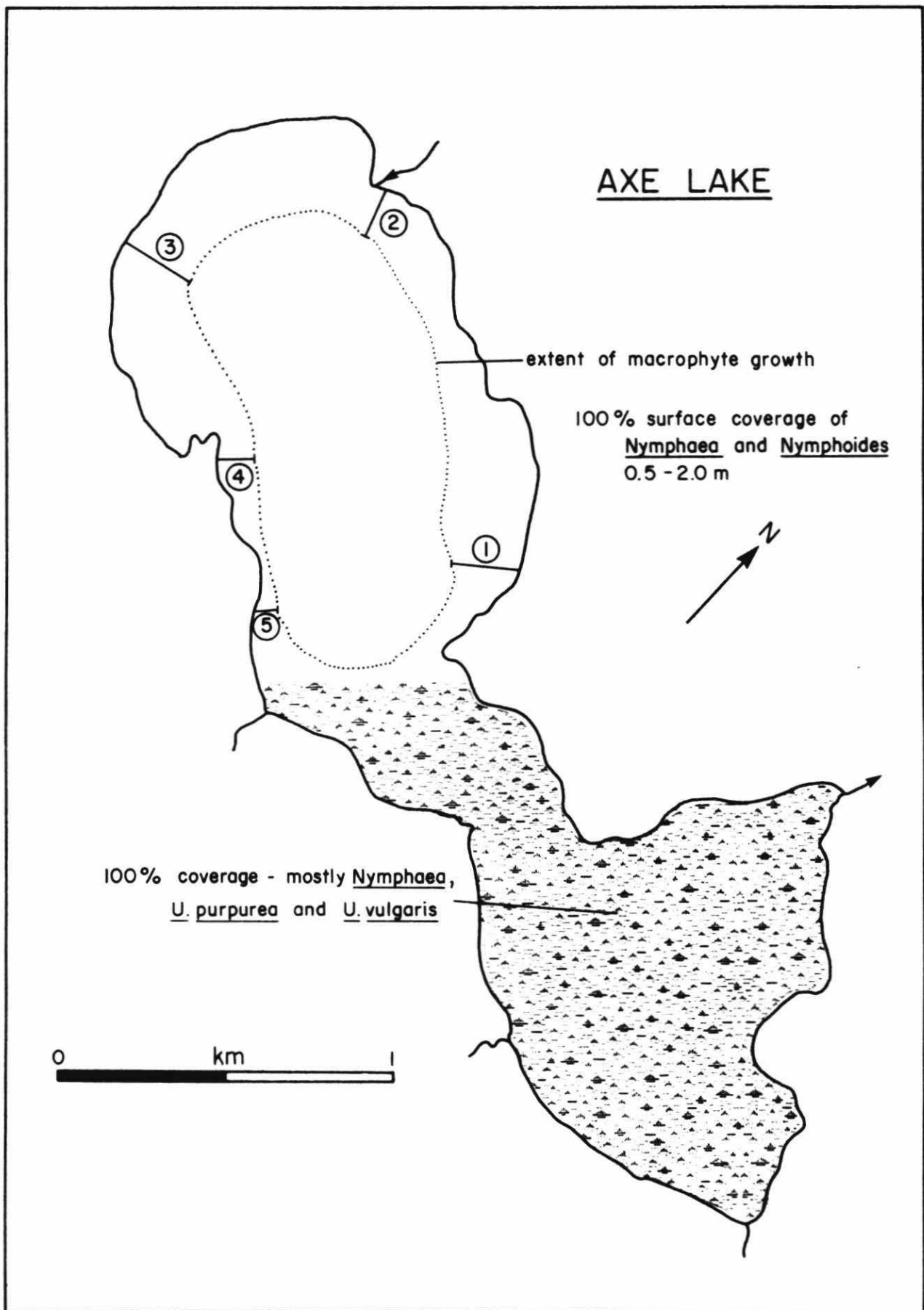
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FIG. A-1



AXE LAKE
(Aug. 9/79)

Bottom Cover - <5% (x), 5-50% (o), >50% (*)

TRANSECT		1				2			3		4		5	
DEPTH		0	0.2	0.5	1.0	0	0.4	0.6	0	0.6	0	0.5	0	0.5
ZONE (m)		0.2	0.5	1.0	2.0	0.4	0.6	2.0	0.6	2.5	0.5	2.5	0.5	3.0
TOTAL		*	*	o	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Brasenia Schreberi	4				o			o	x	o			x	o
Eleocharis acicularis	1								x					
Eriocaulon septangulare	5	o	o					x	o	x	o		o	
Juncus pelocarpus	1								x					
Juncus militaris	5	o	o	o				o	x	o	x		o	
Lobelia Dortmanna	4	o	x						x		x		x	
Myriophyllum tenellum	3	x	o	x					x				x	
Nuphar variegatum	4					x	x	x	x		x		x	
Nymphaea odorata	5				o	o	o	o	o	o	o	x	o	o
Nymphoides cordatum	5	o	o	x	o	x	o	o	o	o	o	*	o	*
Pontederia cordata	2								x				x	
Potamogeton confervoides	3			x	x	x	o			o				
Potamogeton epihydrus	1					o								
Potamogeton natans	2					x					x			
Potamogeton Oakesianus	1					o	o							
Utricularia cornuta	4	o							x		x		x	
Utricularia gibba	1										x	x		
Utricularia intermedia	2					x			x					
Utricularia purpurea	5			x	o			x	x	o		x		x
Utricularia resupinata	3	o							o				o	
Utricularia vulgaris	5		x		x	x		x	x	x		x	x	x
Drepanocladus sp.	1								x					
Fontinalis antipyretica	5				x			x	x	x	*		x	x
Sphagnum cuspidatum	3				x			x	x	x				

Table A1

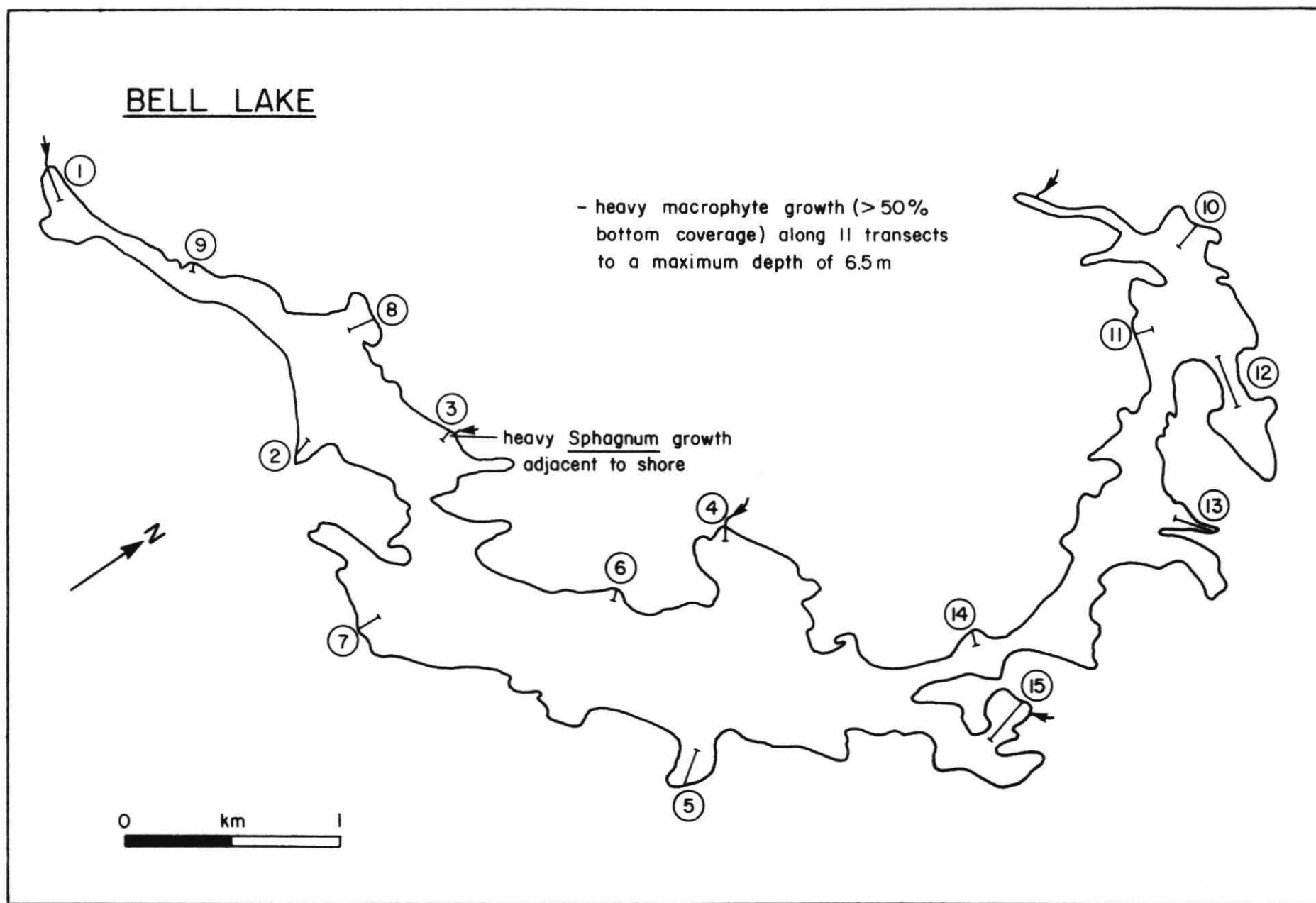
BELL LAKE

- heavy macrophyte growth (> 50%
bottom coverage) along 11 transects
to a maximum depth of 6.5m

heavy Sphagnum growth
adjacent to shore

0 km 1

FIG. A-2



BELL LAKE
(July 10/79)

Bottom Cover - <5% (x), 5-50% (o), >50% (*)

TRANSECT		1				2			3		4			5		
DEPTH		0	1.0	2.0	3.2	0	1.5	3.1	0	1.7	0	1.0	2.5	0	0.5	1.0
ZONE (m)		1.0	2.0	3.2	4.2	1.5	3.1	3.2	1.7	6.5	1.0	2.5	5.0	0.5	1.0	2.5
TOTAL		*	*	*	o	o	*	x	*	o	*	*	x	*	*	x
Brasenia Schreberi	8	x		x												
Eleocharis spp. (2)	10	x							x		x	x		o	o	
Eriocaulon septangulare	11	x				x	x		o		o			o	o	x
Isoetes sp.	13	*	o	o				x		x	o	o	x	o	o	x
Juncus pelocarpus	6								o					x	x	
Juncus militaris	8	x	o						x						x	
Lobelia Dortmanna	7					x			x		x					
Lycopus sp.	8	x	x				x		x							
Myriophyllum Farwellii	3		o													
Myriophyllum tenellum	8					o			x			o			o	
Nuphar variegatum	6	x														
Nymphaea odorata	11		x	x					x		x			x	x	
Nymphoides cordatum	5	x									x					
Pontederia cordata	13	x				x			x		x			x		
Potamogeton Berchtoldii	1															
Potamogeton capillaceus	1	x														
Potamogeton confervoides	6		x						x	x	x			x	x	
Potamogeton epihydrus	3	x														
Potamogeton foliosus	3															
Potamogeton natans	2															
Sagittaria sp.	12	o	o			x	*		x		o	x		o	o	
Sparganium sp.	13	x	x	x					x		x	x		x	x	x
Utricularia purpurea	8		o	o						x						
Utricularia resupinata	2								o	x						
Utricularia vulgaris	13	x		x	o	x	x		o	x	o	o	x	x	x	x
Vallisneria americana	13															
Drepanocladus sp.	2								x							
Fontinalis sp.	6								o	o	x				x	
Gymnocolea inflata	2								x							
Sphagnum cuspidatum	7					x	x		x		x					
Sphagnum majus	1						x									
Sphagnum subsecundum	1								x							
platyphyllum																

Table A2

BELL LAKE (Cont'd)

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BELL LAKE (Cont'd)

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BRANDY LAKE

- variable macrophyte coverage
- plant growth limited to bays with colonizable sediments and maximum depth of 1.3m
- much of the lake (not sampled) was exposed bedrock

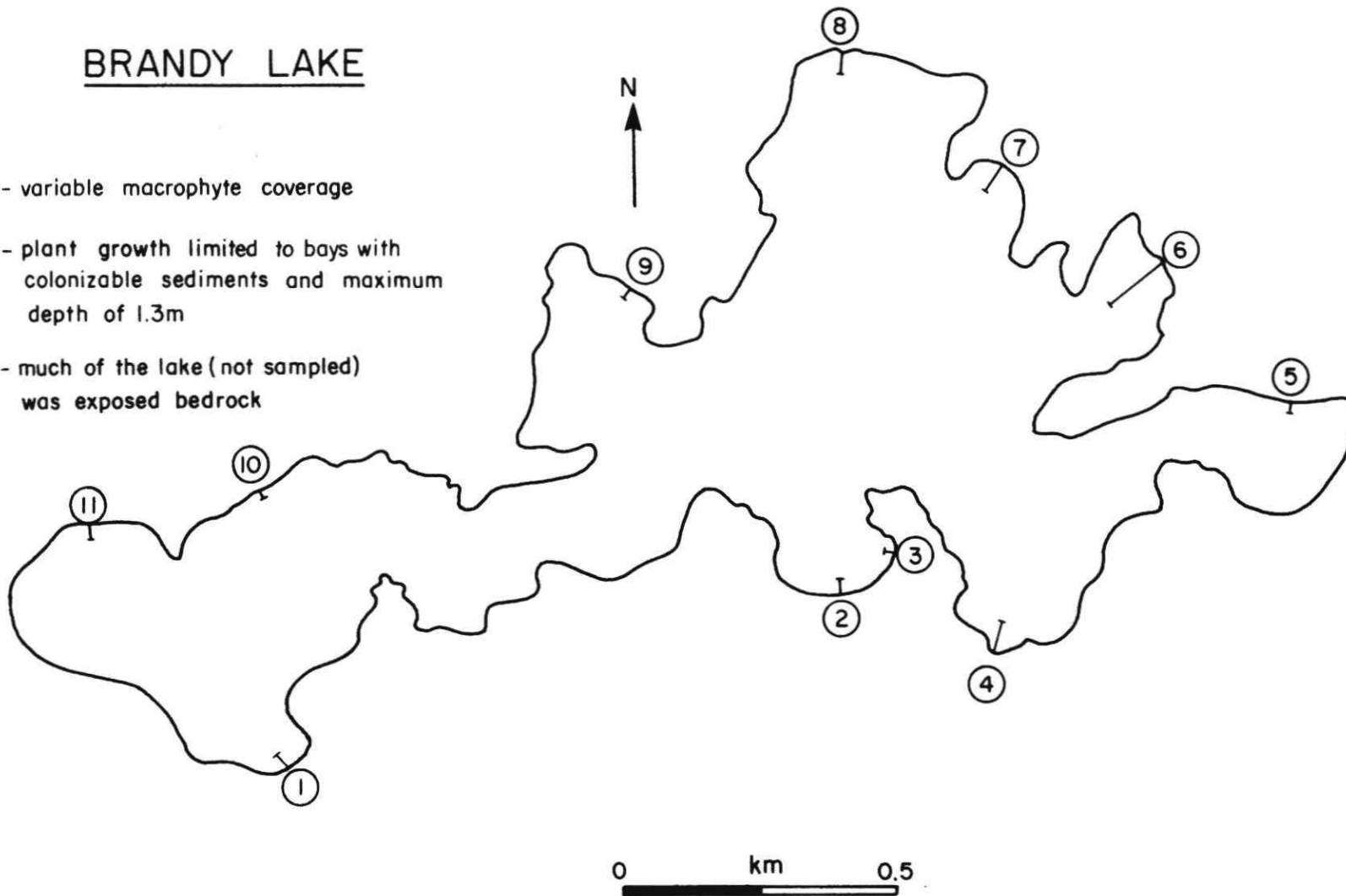


FIG. A-3

BRANDY LAKE
(Aug. 10/78)

Bottom Cover - <5% (x), 5-50% (o), >50% (*)

	TRANSECT	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
DEPTH		0	1.0	0	0	0	0	0 0.9	0	0	0	0
ZONE (m)		1.2	1.1	1.2	1.2	1.0	1.2	0.9 1.2	1.0	1.0	1.3	1.0
TOTAL		o	x	o	*	x	*	*	*	o	x	*
Brasenia Schreberi	5			x	x		x	x	x			
Elatine minima	2				x				x			
Eleocharis acicularis	2	x										x
Eriocaulon septangulare	3				x				o			o
Isoetes sp.	3				o				x			o
Juncus pelocarpus	1											x
Najas flexilis	6	x		x	x		x	o				o
Nymphaea odorata	9	x		o	o	x	x	o	o	o		o
Nuphar variegatum	3	x			o		o					
Pontederia cordata	10	x	x	x	x		o	x	x	x	x	x
Potamogeton epihydrus	4	x						x	x			x
Sagittaria sp.	3				o				o			o
Utricularia resupinata	1											x
Vallisneria americana	1	o										
Nitella flexilis	3			x			o	x	*			
Nitella tenuissima	1										x	
Fontinalis antipyretica	6			x	x	x				x	x	x
Hygroamblystegium sp.	1							x				

Table A3

CARLYLE LAKE

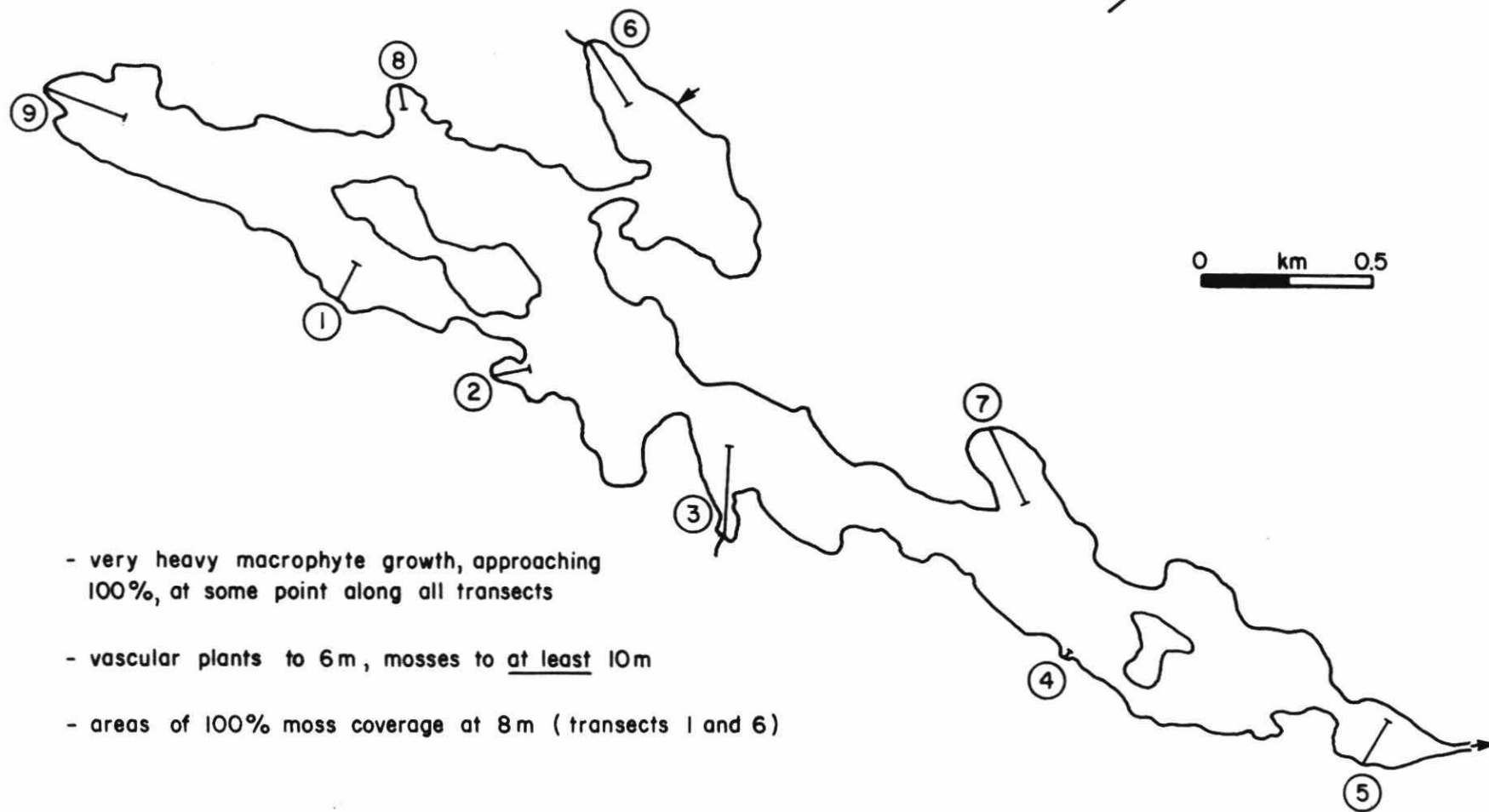


FIG. A-4

CARLYLE LAKE
(July 12/79)

Bottom Cover - <5% (x), 5-50% (o), >50% (*)

TRANSECT	1	2	3	4
DEPTH	0 1.5 4.0 8.0	0 1.3 1.7 3.0	0 1.0 1.6 3.5 4.5	0 1.6 2.8 3.7
ZONE (m)	1.5 4.0 8.0 12.	1.3 1.7 3.0 7.0	1.0 1.6 3.5 4.5 6.5	1.6 2.8 3.7 4.5
TOTAL	o o o *	* * o o	* * * * o	* o * x
<i>Brasenia Schreberi</i>	1			
<i>Elatine minima</i>	6	x x	x	
<i>Eleocharis</i> spp. (2)	7	x o x	o	
<i>Eriocaulon septangulare</i>	9 o	o o	o	o o * x
<i>Isoetes</i> sp.	9	o o	o	x o * x
<i>Juncus pelocarpus</i>	6	x *		
<i>Juncus militaris</i>	2			
<i>Lobelia Dortmanna</i>	6	x	x	
<i>Lycopus</i> sp.	5	x	x	
<i>Myriophyllum Farwellii</i>	1			
<i>Myriophyllum tenellum</i>	8	x x	o o	o
<i>Nuphar variegatum</i>	2		x	
<i>Nymphaea odorata</i>	4			
<i>Nymphoides cordatum</i>	1			
<i>Pontederia cordata</i>	7	x	x	x o o x
<i>Potamogeton confervoides</i>	8	x	x	
<i>Potamogeton epiphydrus</i>	1		x	
<i>Ranunculus reptans</i>	1			
<i>Sagittaria</i> sp.	7	o	o o	x
<i>Sparganium</i> sp.	7	x	x x	x o o x
<i>Utricularia purpurea</i>	5		o o o	o o x
<i>Utricularia resupinata</i>	5	x x		
<i>Utricularia vulgaris</i>	9 x o x	x x o x	o x	o
<i>Fontinalis</i> sp.	6		o o o	x
<i>Drepanocladus exannulatus</i>	5	* x	x x x o o o	
<i>Sphagnum cuspidatum</i>	2		x	
<i>Sphagnum pylaesii</i>	7	x o o	x o o o o	o o
<i>Sphagnum recurvum</i>	1			
<i>amblyphyllum</i>				
<i>Sphagnum subsecundum</i>	2	x	x	
<i>contortum</i>				

Table A4

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CHUB LAKE

- plant coverage varied greatly, plants grew to a maximum depth of 2.5 m
- only two vascular plants exceeded 5% bottom coverage, Eriocaulon and U. resupinata

- thick patches of filamentous algae throughout lake

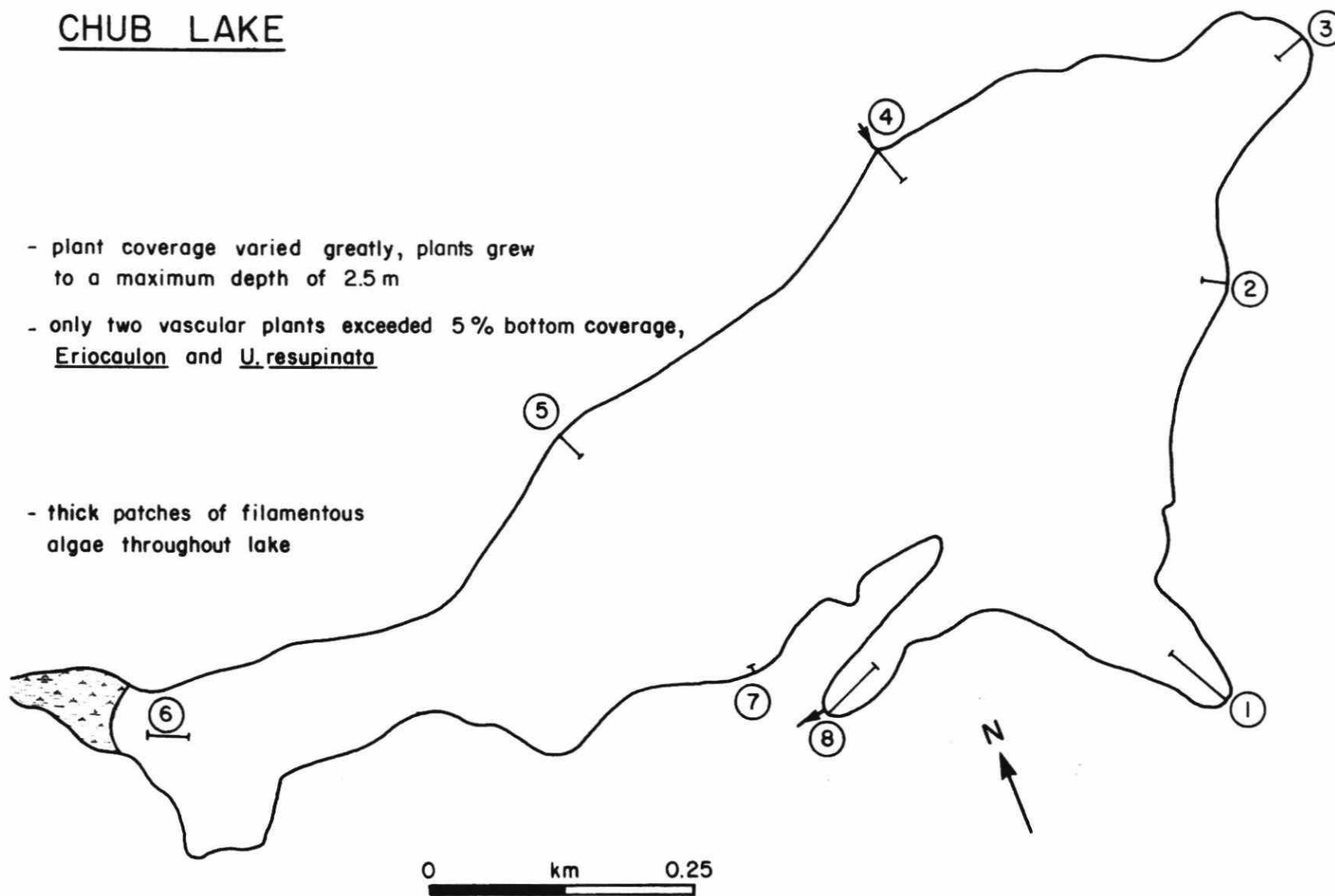


FIG. A-5

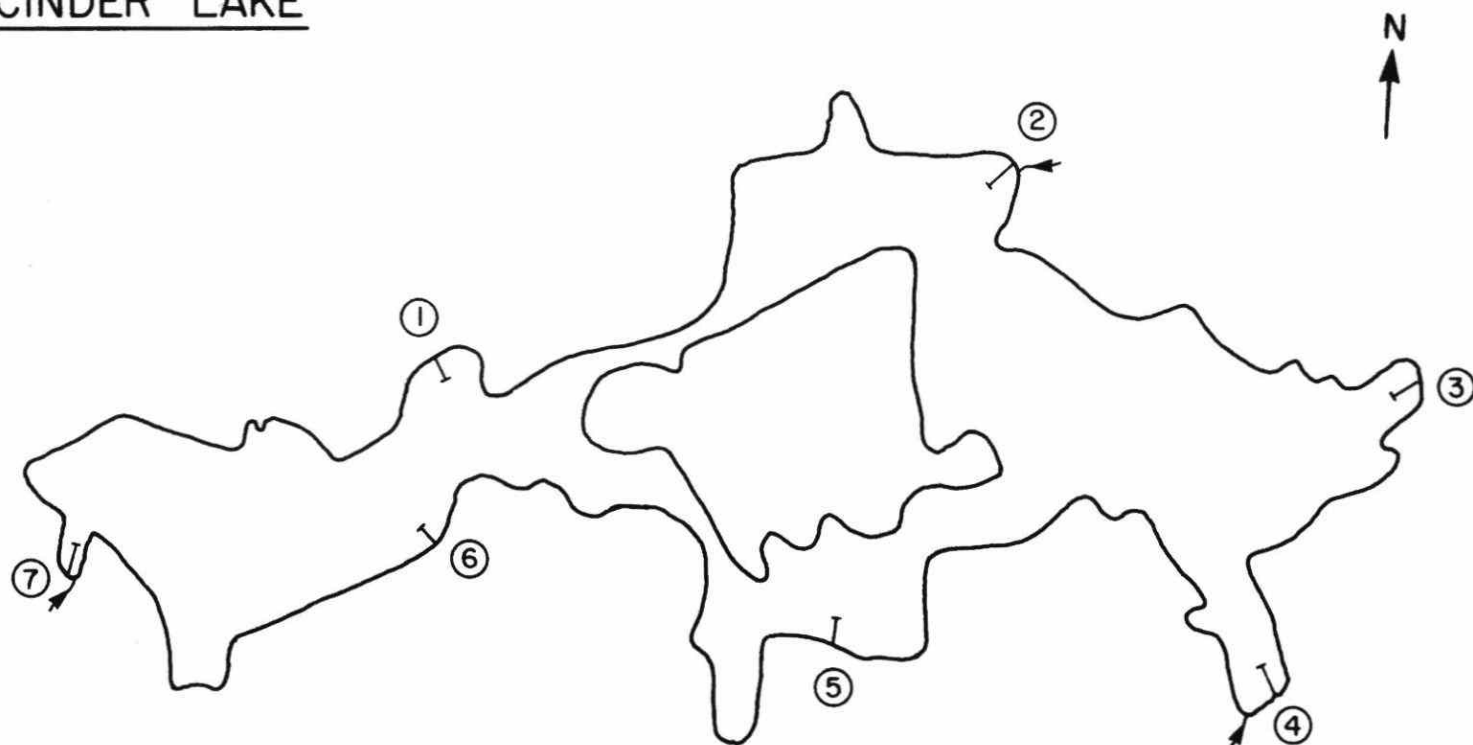
CHUB LAKE
(July 30/79)

Bottom Cover - <5% (x), 5-50% (o), >50% (*)

	TRANSECT	1		2		3		4		5		6	7	8		9		
	DEPTH	0	0.5	0	0.5	0	1.2	0	0.5	0	0.5	0	0	0	0.3	0	0.5	0.7
	ZONE (m)	0.5	1.5	0.5	1.5	1.2	1.5	0.5	2.5	0.5	2.0	1.5	0.5	0.3	2.0	0.5	0.7	1.5
	TOTAL	x	*	*	x	*	o	o	o	x	x	x	o	*	x	*	o	x
Brasenia Schreberi	8	x				x		x		x		x	x	x	x	x		
Eriocaulon septangulare	9	x	x	*	x	*		o		x		x	o	o	x	*	o	
Isoetes sp.	6		x	x	x	x		x							x			x
Lobelia Dortmanna	3			x		x				x								
Lycopus sp.	2					x		x										
Nuphar variegatum	1	x																
Nymphaea odorata	4	x			x							x		x				
Nymphoides cordatum	1											x						
Pontederia cordata	8	x	x	x		x		x		x		x	x	x	x			
Potamogeton Berchtoldii	1							x										
Potamogeton epihydrus	3					x		x				x						
Potamogeton Oakesianus	1													x				
Sparganium sp.	2							x				x						
Utricularia purpurea	2					x						x						
Utricularia resupinata	4		*				o							o	x	o	o	
Nitella tenuissima	1											x						
Fontinalis antipyretica	5			x		x		o	o	x	x			o				
Sphagnum sp.	1					x												

Table A5

CINDER LAKE



- variable macrophyte growth throughout the lake to
a maximum depth of 4 m

- Fontinalis was dominant

0 km 0.5
-not drawn to scale

FIG. A-6

CINDER LAKE Bottom Cover - <5% (x), 5-50% (o), >50% (*)
(June 7/79)

	TRANSECT	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
	DEPTH	0	0	0	2.0	0	0	0
	ZONE (m)	4.0	0.6	2.0	4.0	2.0	3.0	3.0
	TOTAL	*	x	x	o	x	*	*
Brasenia Schreberi	2	x						x
Eriocaulon septangulare	1			x				
Juncus militaris	1						x	
Lycopus sp.	1				x			
Myriophyllum heterophyllum	3					x	o	o
Nuphar variegatum	3	x					x	x
Nymphaea odorata	6	x	x	x	x	x		x
Pontederia cordata	6	x	x	x	x		x	x
Potamogeton natana	1						x	
Sparganium sp.	4		x		x		x	x
Utricularia purpurea	7	o	x	x	x	o	x	x
Utricularia vulgaris	3						x	x
Fontinalis antipyretica	6	*		x	o	x	*	o
Sphagnum fimbriatum	1				x			
Sphagnum subsecundum	1				x			
contortum								
Sphagnum subsecundum	1				x			
inundatum								

Table A6

CLEAR LAKE

0 km 0.1

- very light macrophyte growth throughout lake to maximum depth of 1.8m
- the only vascular plant to exceed 5% bottom coverage was Eriocaulon

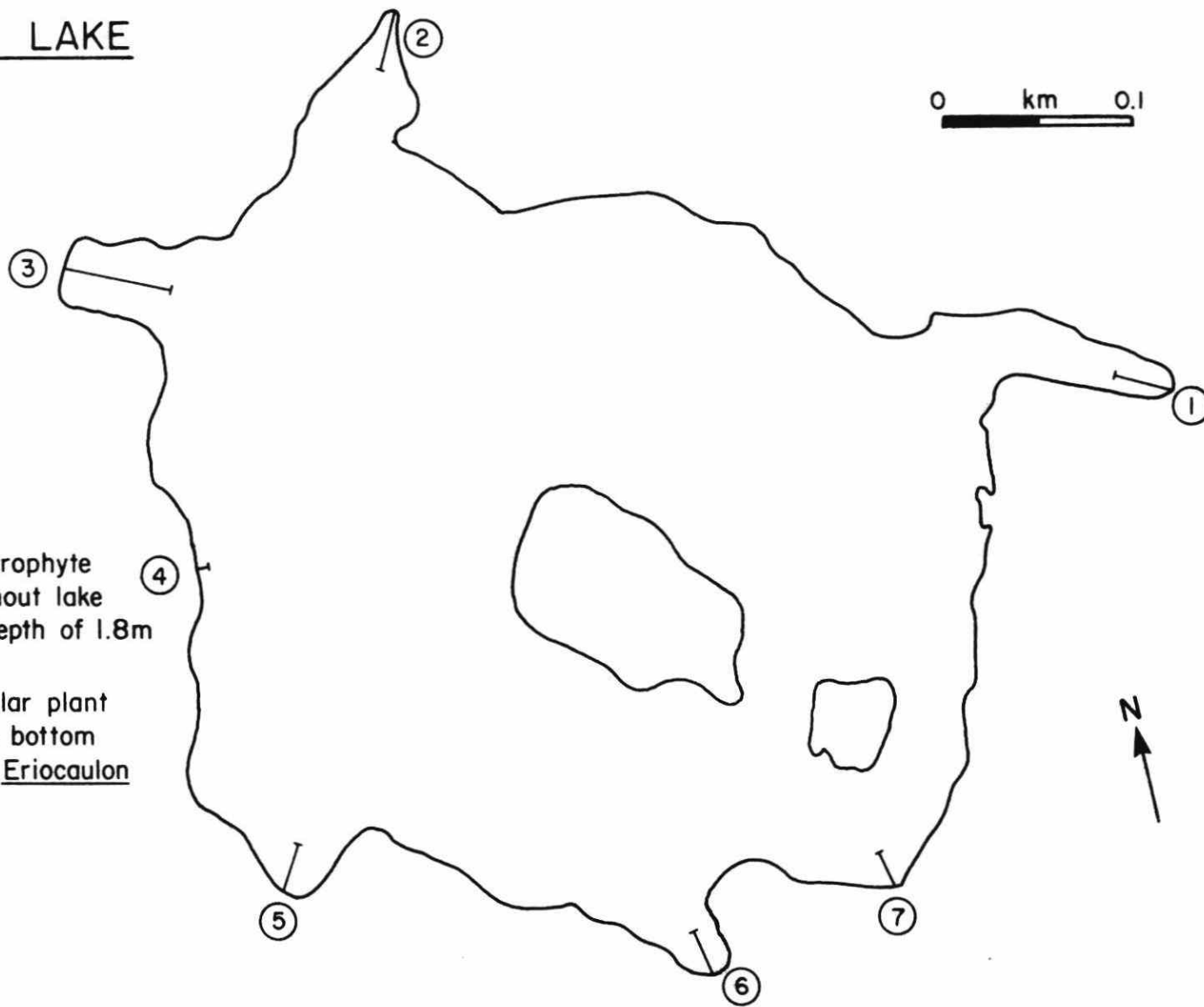


FIG. A-7

CLEAR LAKE Bottom Cover - <5% (x), 5-50% (o), >50% (*)
(June 21/79)

	TRANSECT	1		2		3		4	5	6	7
	DEPTH	0	0.7	0	0.7	0	0.5	0	0	0	0
	ZONE (m)	0.7	1.5	0.7	1.5	0.5	1.8	1.0	1.6	1.8	1.8
	TOTAL	o	x	*	x	o	x	o	o	o	o
Brasenia Schreberi	1					x					
Elatine minima	1			x							
Eleocharis acicularis	2			x		x					
Eriocaulon septangulare	7	o	x	o	x	o	x	o	o	o	o
Isoetes sp.	4		x	x		x					x
Juncus pelocarpus	2	x				x	x				
Labelia Dortmanna	5	x		x		x		x			x
Nuphar variegatum	3	x		x							x
Pontederia cordata	3			x		x					x
Potamogeton natans	1			x							
Sparganium sp.	1									x	
Utricularia resupinata	2	x	x				x				
Fontinalis antipyretica	5	x		o	x	x	x			x	x
Sphagnum cuspidatum	1					x					
Sphagnum palustre	1					x					
Sphagnum subsecundum	1			x							
platyphyllum											

Table A7

CLEARWATER LAKE

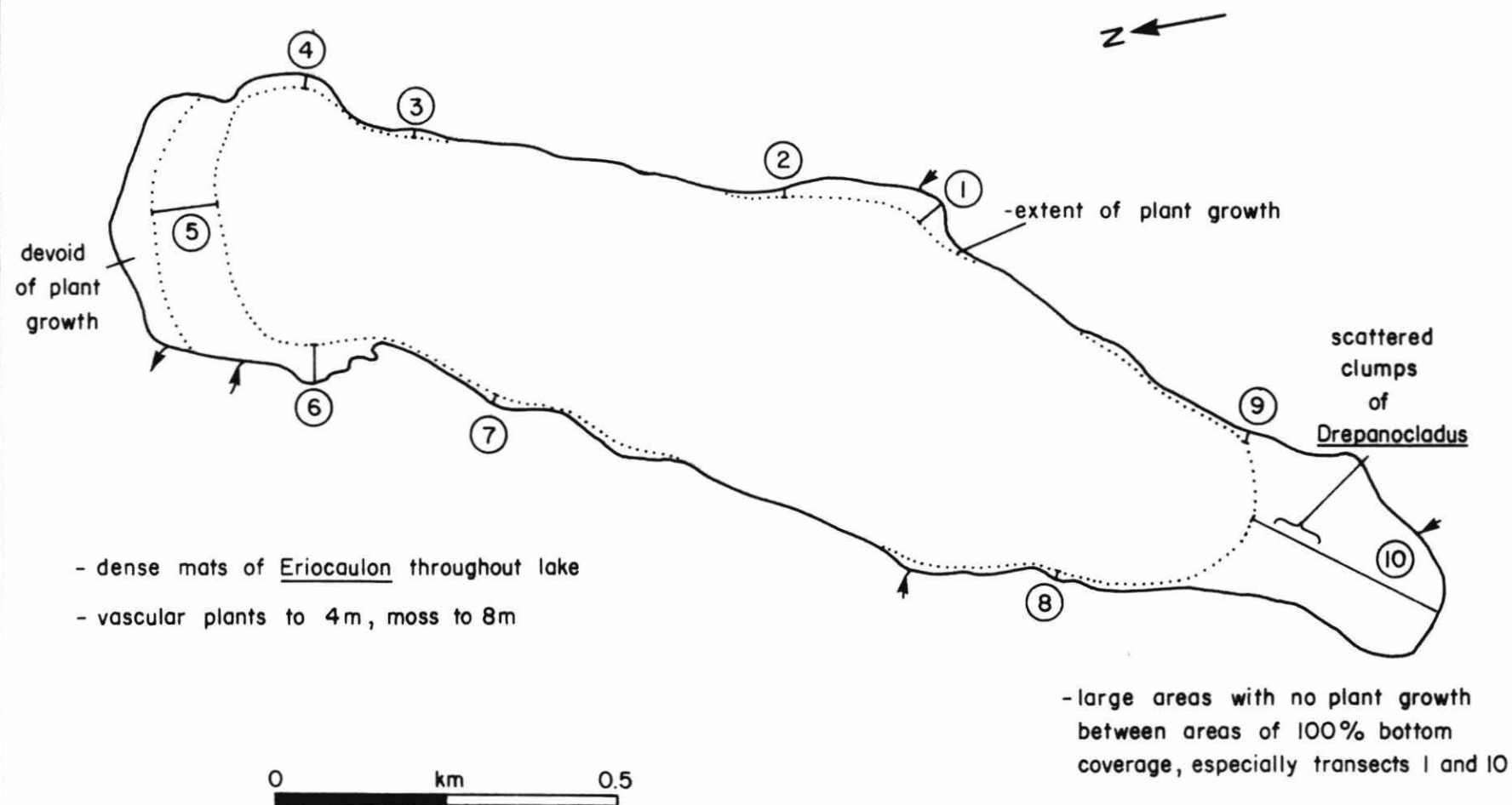


FIG. A-8

CLEARWATER LAKE
(May 23/78)

Bottom Cover - <5% (x), 5-50% (o), >50% (*)

TRANSECT		1		2	3	4	5			6		7	8	9		10		
DEPTH		0	1.0	1.0	0.5	0.5	1.3	2.3	3.8	0	2.7	0	0	0.5	2.5	0	1.0	2.5
ZONE (m)		1.0	4.0	2.5	2.0	1.5	2.3	3.8	6.0	2.7	6.0	1.5	2.5	2.0	4.0	1.0	2.5	8.0
TOTAL		*	x	*	o	o	*	o	o	*	x	o	*	*	x	*	*	x
Eleocharis acicularis	4	x					x					x				*	o	
Eriocaulon septangulare	10	*	x	*	o	o	*	o		*		o	*	*			*	
Juncus pelocarpus	2							x								x		
Lycopus sp.	1															x		
Myriophyllum tenellum	3		x					o						o				
Utricularia vulgaris	1	x																
Cladopodiella fluitans	2						o					o						
Drepanocladus exannulatus	6	x	x					o	o	o	x		x	o	x		x	x

Table A8

CROSSON LAKE

- variable macrophyte growth, exceeding 50 % along only one transect (6)
- maximum plant depth was 1 m
- Eriocaulon was dominant

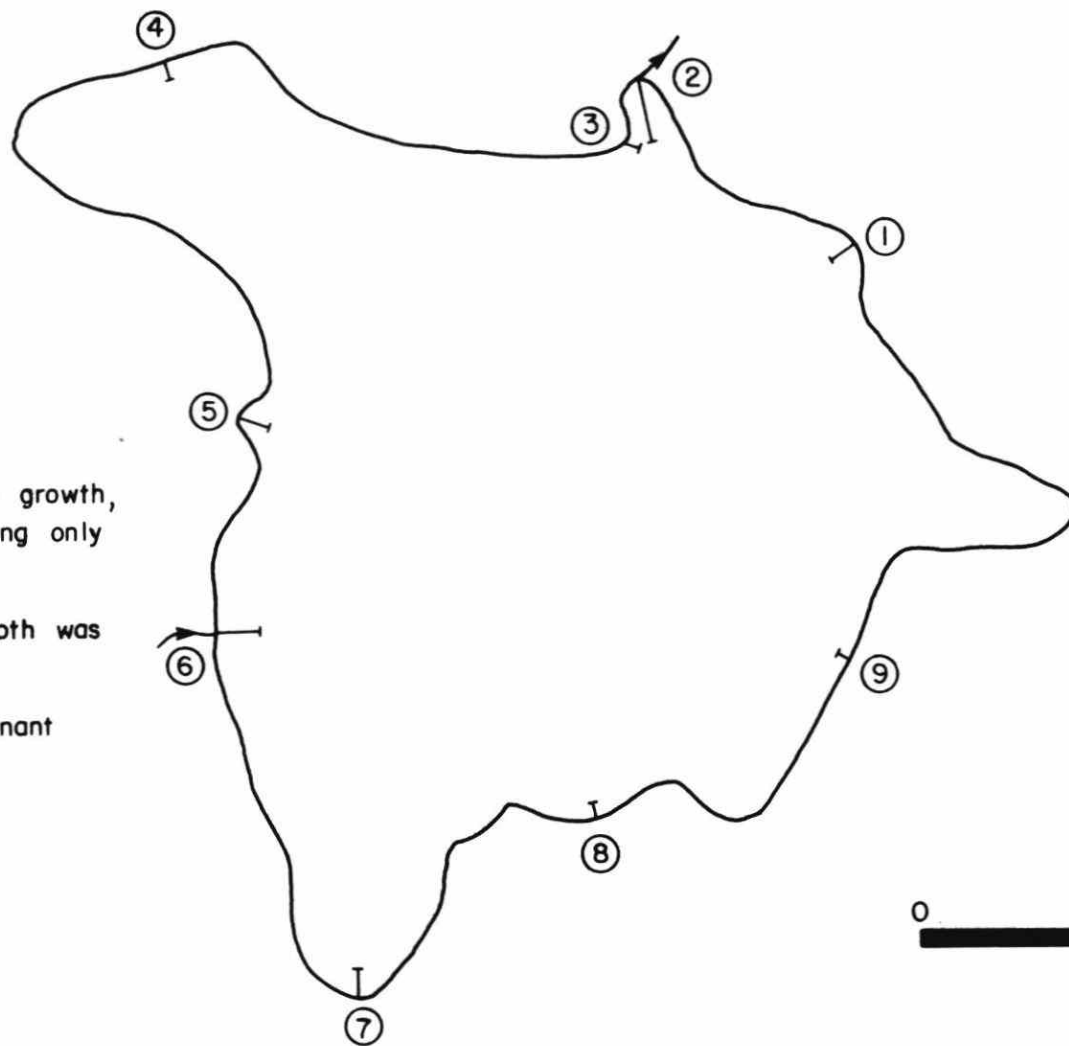


FIG. A-9

CROSSON LAKE
(June 5/79)

Bottom Cover - <5% (x), 5-50% (o), >50% (*)

	TRANSECT DEPTH ZONE (m)	1		2		3		4	5	6			7		8	9
		0	0.6	0	0.5	0	1.0	0	0	0	0.8	1.0	0.5	1.2	0	0
		0.6	1.2	0.5	2.0	1.0	2.0	1.7	2.0	0.8	1.0	2.0	1.2	1.5	1.0	1.0
		TOTAL														
		o	x	x	x	o	x	o	x	*	o	*	o	x	o	o
Brasenia Schreberi	3					x							x		x	
Eleocharis spp. (2)	1											x				
Eriocaulon septangulare	7		x			o	x	o			x	x	o	x	o	o
Isoetes sp.	3							x				x		x		
Juncus militaris	1														x	
Lobelia Dortmanna	3							o					x		x	
Lycopus sp.	3							x		x	x	x				x
Nuphar variegatum	3							x	x	x	x					
Nymphaea odorata	1									x		x				
Pontederia cordata	7		x	x		x		x	x	o	x	x				x
Potamogeton epihydrus	1									o						
Potamogeton natans	2					x				x	o					
Sparganium sp.	2									x	x		x			
Utricularia purpurea	1											x				
Utricularia resupinata	1														x	
Utricularia vulgaris	2				x					x	x	x				
Fontinalis antipyretica	4									x	x	o	x	x	x	x
Fontinalis hypnoides duriaei	2	o	x			x	x									

Table A9

DICKIE LAKE

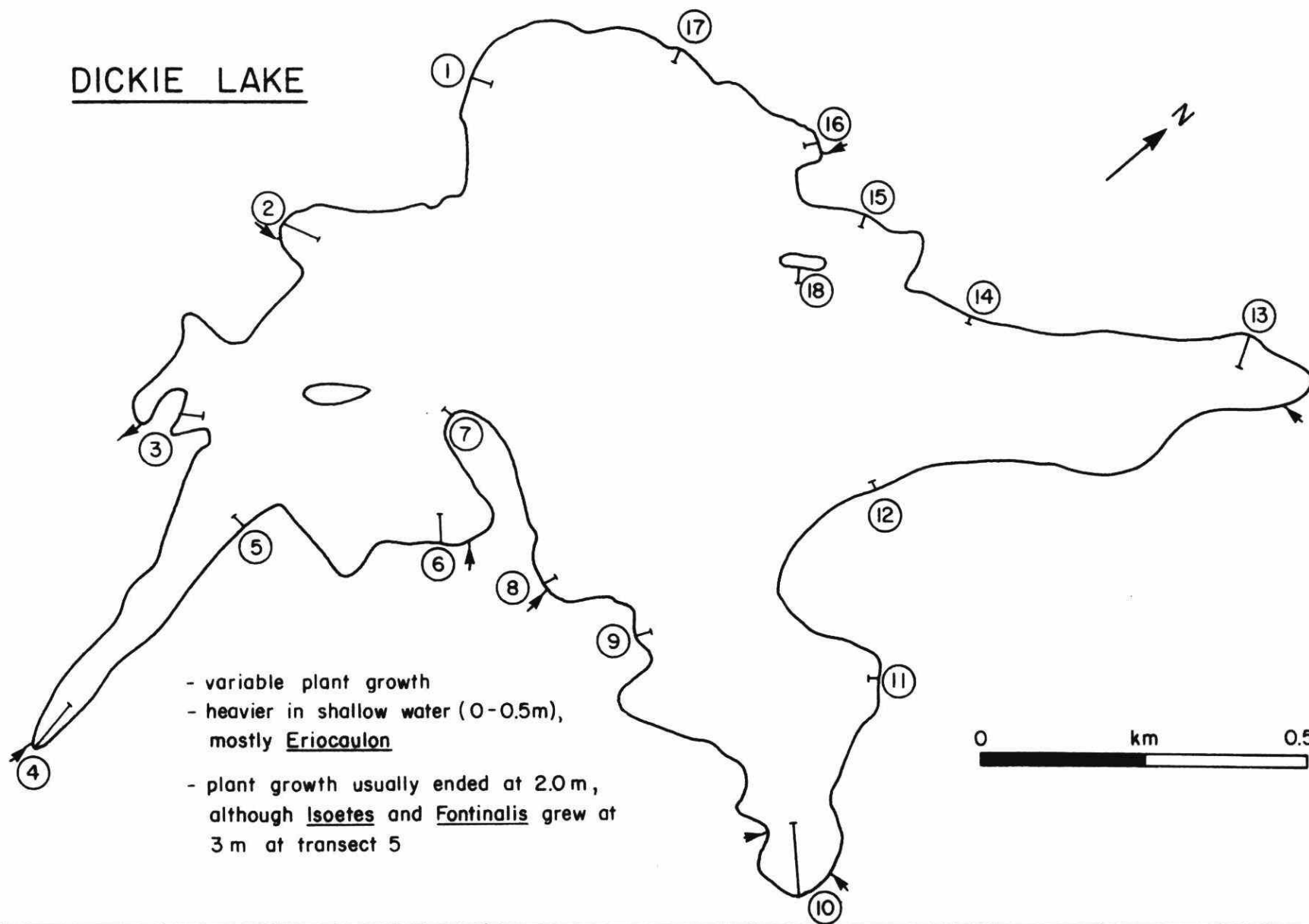


FIG. A-10

DICKIE LAKE
(Aug. 2/78)

Bottom Cover - <5% (x), 5-50% (o), >50% (*)

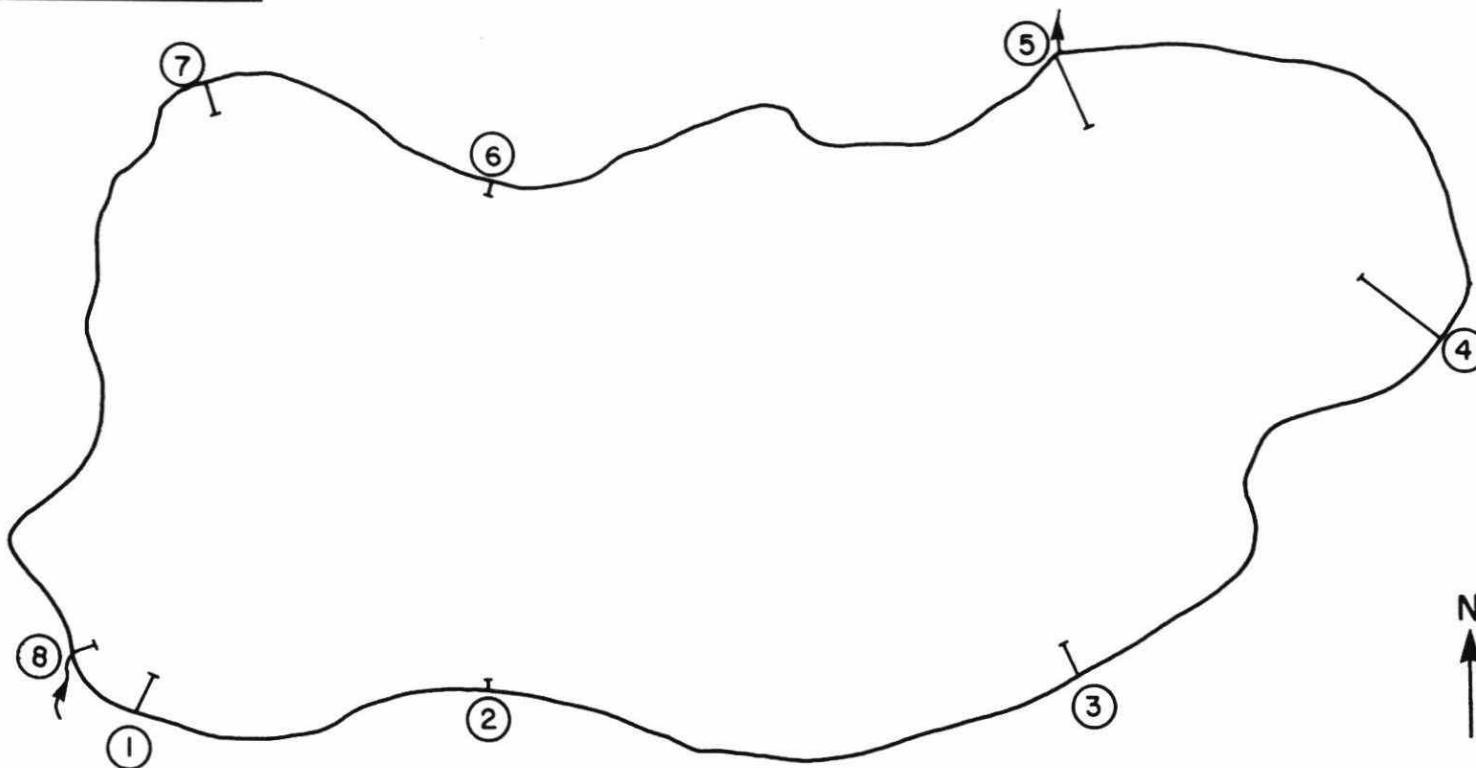
TRANSECT	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
DEPTH	0 1.0	0 1.0	0 1.0	0	0 0.5	0 0.5	0 0.5	0 0.5
ZONE (m)	0.5 1.5	0.5 1.5	1.0 1.5	1.5	0.5 3.0	0.5 1.5	0.5 1.5	0.5 1.5
TOTAL	o x	o o	o x	x	* x	o x	o o	o x
<i>Brasenia Schreberi</i>	1	x						
<i>Elatine minima</i>	4							x
<i>Eleocharis acicularis</i>	5				o			
<i>Eriocaulon septangulare</i>	18 o	o	x	x	o	o	o	o
<i>Isoetes</i> sp.	14 x		x		x x		o	x
<i>Juncus militaris</i>	1 x							
<i>Juncus pelocarpus</i>	9 x					x	x	x
<i>Lobelia Dortmanna</i>	13 x					x	x	x
<i>Lycopus</i> sp.	7 x					x		
<i>Myriophyllum tenellum</i>	5							x
<i>Nuphar variegatum</i>	1							
<i>Nymphaea odorata</i>	13 x x	o o	o	x	o	x x		
<i>Pontederia cordata</i>	18 x x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
<i>Potamogeton epihydrus</i>	2				x			
<i>Sparganium</i> sp.	1				x			
<i>Utricularia purpurea</i>	2							
<i>Utricularia resupinata</i>	6							o
<i>Utricularia vulgaris</i>	1							
<i>Fontinalis antipyretica</i>	16	o	x x	x	x x		o o	x x

Table A10

DICKIE LAKE (Cont'd.)
(Aug. 2/78)

TRANSECT		9		10		11		12		13		14	15	16		17	18	
DEPTH ZONE (m)		0	0.5	0	0.5	0	1.0	0	0.5	0	0.7	0	0	0	0.7	0	0	0.5
		0.5	1.5	0.5	2.0	0.5	2.0	0.5	2.0	0.7	1.5	2.0	1.5	0.7	1.7	1.5	0.5	2.0
TOTAL		o	x	*	o	*	o	o	o	*	o	o	o	o	x	o	o	
<hr/>																		
Brasenia Schreberi	1																	
Elatine minima	4					x								x			x	
Eleocharis acicularis	5					x				x		x		x				
Eriocaulon septangulare	18	o		o		o		x		x		o	x	x		x	o	
Isoetes sp.	14	x	x				o	x	o		x	x	x		x	x		x
Juncus militaris	1																	
Juncus pelocarpus	9					x		x		x		x	x					
Lobelia Dortmanna	13	x		x		x				x		x	x	x		x	x	
Lycopus sp.	7			x	x	x				x		x			x			
Myriophyllum tenellum	5	x		x		x				o	o							
Nuphar variegatum	1													x				
Nymphaea odorata	13	x		o	o	x				o	x			x	x	x	x	
Pontederia cordata	18	x		x		x		x		x		x	x	x	x	x	x	
Potamogeton epihydrus	2													x				
Sparganium sp.	1																	
Utricularia purpurea	2				x						x							
Utricularia resupinata	6	o		o	o	o				o	x		x					
Utricularia vulgaris	1									x								
Fontinalis antipyretica	16	o			o	o	x	x	x	x	x	x	x		x	x	x	x

FAWN LAKE



- moderate to heavy macrophyte growth along all transects
- vascular plants to a maximum depth of 2.0 m
- areas of very heavy Nitella growth to 2.3 m
- extensive Sphagnum growth along transect 8

FIG. A-11

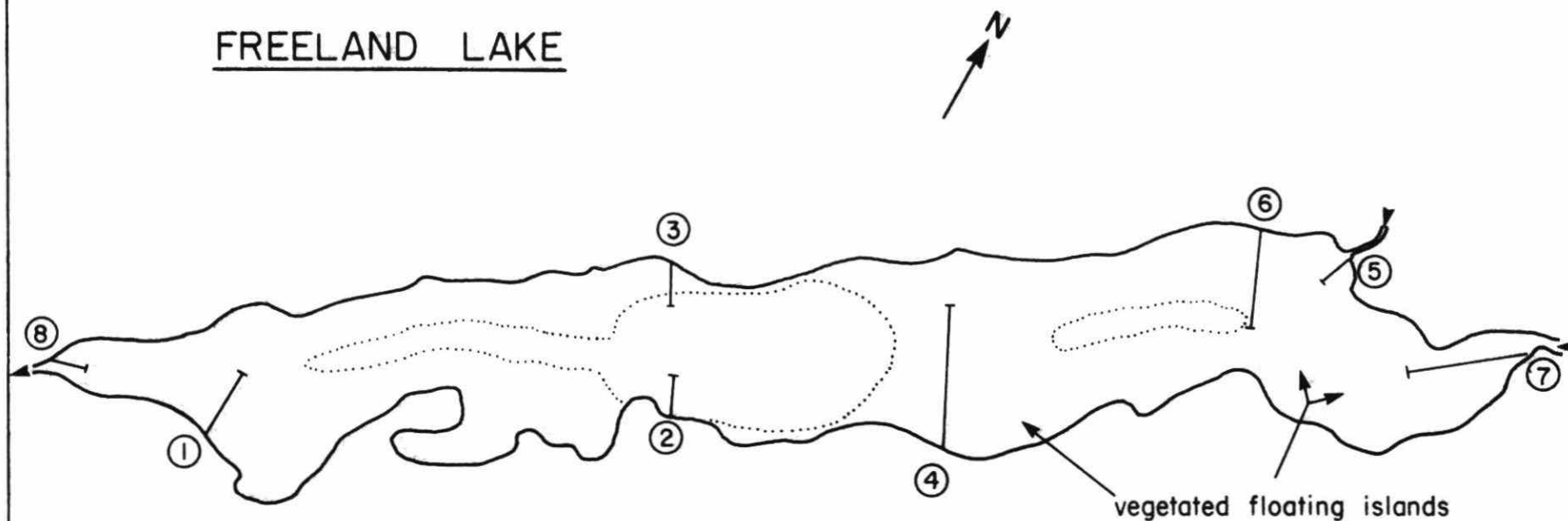
FAWN LAKE
(Aug. 1/79)

Bottom Cover - <5% (x), 5-50% (o), >50% (*)

	TRANSECT	1	2	3			4		5		6	7	8
	DEPTH	0	0	0	0.3	0.8	0	1.0	0	1.0	0	0	0
	ZONE (m)	2.0	1.5	0.3	0.8	1.2	1.0	2.3	0.3	2.3	1.0	1.0	1.0
	TOTAL	o	o	o	*	*	o	*	o	*	o	*	*
Brasenia Schreberi	6	x		x			o		x			x	x
Eleocharis acicularis	3		x									x	x
Eriocaulon septangulare	4	x		x			x					o	
Isoetes sp.	4	x		x					x			x	
Juncus pelocarpus	2			x			o						
Juncus militaris	1			x									
Lycopus sp.	1			x									
Nuphar variegatum	3	x					x						x
Nymphaea odorata	8	x	x	x			x		x		o	o	o
Pontederia cordata	6	x	x				x				x	x	x
Potamogeton capillaceus	1			x									
Potamogeton epihydrus	4	x	x										o
Potamogeton natans	3								x			x	x
Potamogeton Oakesianus	1	x											
Sagittaria sp.	4			x			x		x			x	
Sparganium sp.	4	x	x				x					x	
Utricularia gibba	1			x	x								
Utricularia resupinata	5	x	x	x					x			o	
Vallisneria americana	4		x				x		x		o		
Nitella flexilis	5	o	o					*		*		x	
Nitella tenuissima	1		x										
Fissidens fontanus	1				x								
Fontinalis antipyretica	6	x	x	x	*	*			x			o	o
Sphagnum cuspidatum	1												*
Sphagnum subsecundum	1	x											
platyphyllum													

Table A11

FREELAND LAKE



- except for the 2 dotted areas the entire surface of the lake is covered with Nymphaea floating leaves
- growth exceeded 50% bottom coverage along all but one transect (#5) to a maximum depth of 3.0 m

0 km 0.25

FIG. A-12

FREELAND LAKE
(July 12/79)

Bottom Cover - <5% (x), 5-50% (o), >50% (*)

	TRANSECT	1		2		3	4		5	6			7	8		
	DEPTH	0	1.6	0	2.0	0	0	1.3	0	0	0.5	0.6	0	0	1.0	1.5
	ZONE (m)	1.6	2.2	2.0	3.0	2.0	1.3	1.8	0.5	0.5	0.6	2.5	0.5	1.0	1.5	2.5
	TOTAL	*	*	o	*	*	*	*	x	o	*	*	*	*	*	*
Brasenia Schreberi	6	o		x		x					x	x	o			x
Eleocharis acicularis	2			x										o		
Eriocaulon septangulare	2			x					x							
Isoetes sp.	2								x					x		
Juncus militaris	5	x	x	x	o	x						x		x		
Lycopus sp.	1						x									
Nuphar variegatum	2						x						x			
Nymphaea odorata	8	x		o	x	o	*	*	x	o	o	o	o	x		x
Pontederia cordata	7	x	x			x		x	x	x	x		o	x		
Potamogeton confervoides	6	x	o	x	o	x			x			o		*	o	o
Potamogeton epihydrus	5	x					x					x	x	x	o	x
Potamogeton natans	3	x	x				x							x		x
Potamogeton Oakesianus	3	x			x									x	x	
Sparganium sp.	7			x	x	x	x	x	x			x	x	x	x	x
Utricularia purpurea	8	*	*	x	o	o	x	x	x	x	*	*	o	x	x	o
Utricularia vulgaris	7	x	x	x	x	x	*	x		x	o	x	x	x	x	x
Sphagnum subsecundum contortum	2	x							x							

Table A12

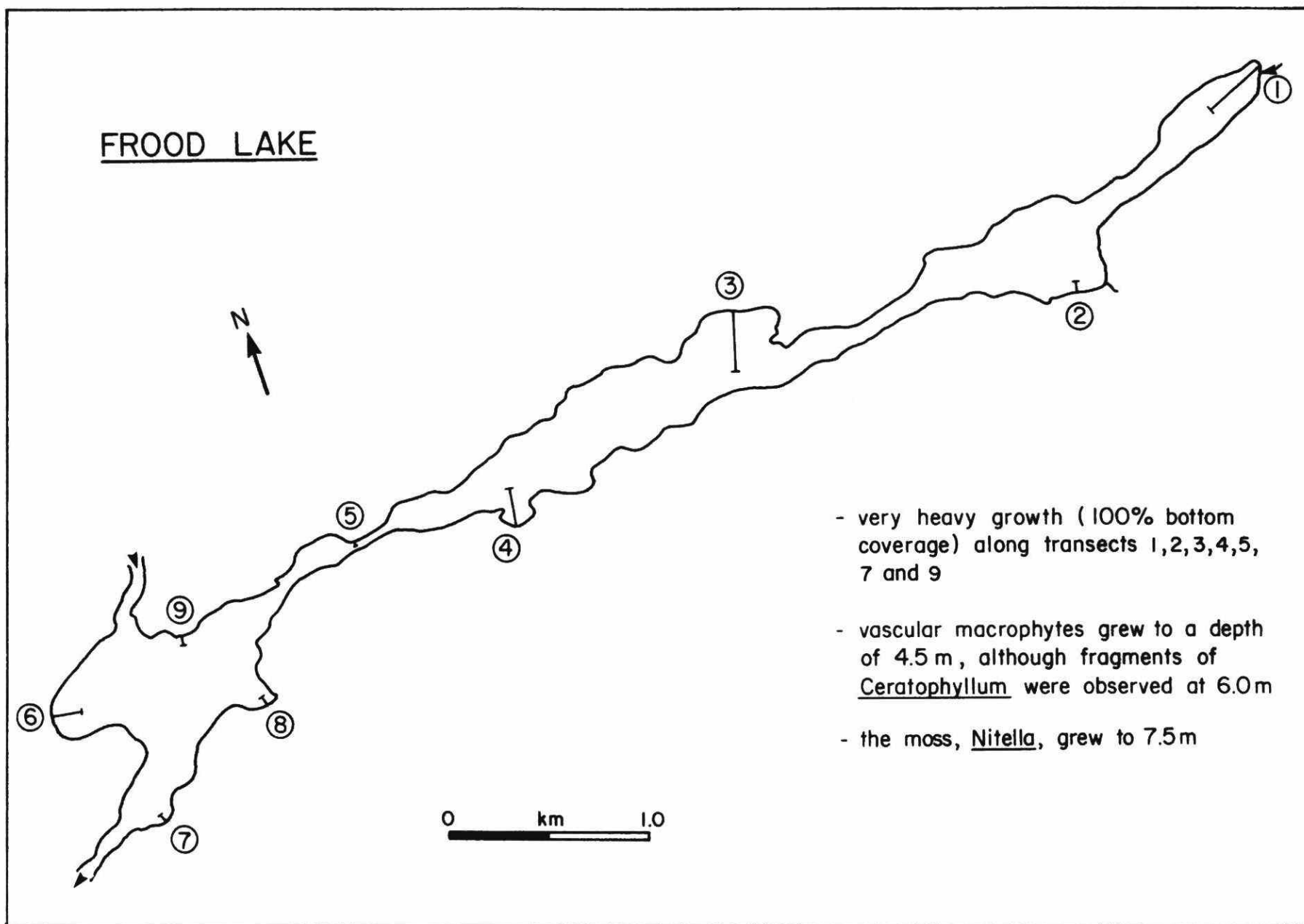


FIG. A-13

FROOD LAKE
(Aug. 21/79)

Bottom Cover - <5% (x), 5-50% (o), >50% (*)

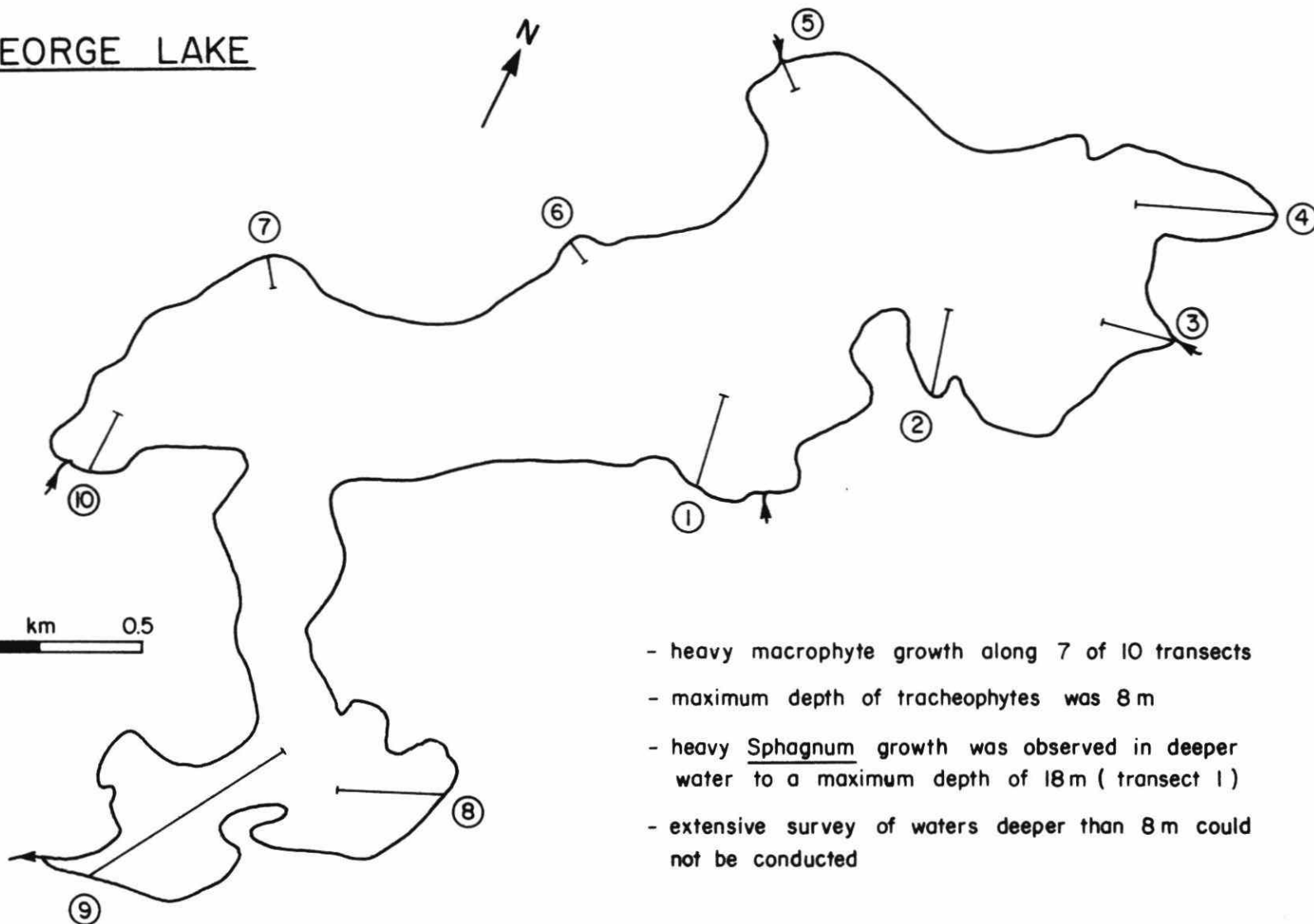
TRANSECT DEPTH ZONE (m)	1			2		3			4				5	6					7		8	9		
	0	1.2	2.0	0	1.5	0	1.5	4.5	0	1.3	3.5	4.5	0	0	1.3	3.0	4.5	7.0	0	1.5	0	0	2.5	
	1.2	2.0	3.0	1.5	4.0	1.5	3.5	7.5	1.3	2.5	4.5	7.5	1.5	1.3	3.0	4.5	7.0	1.5	4.6	3.0	2.5	4.0		
TOTAL	*	*	*	*	o	*	o	*	*	*	o	*	*	o	o	o	o	*	*	x	*	x		
Brasenia Schreberi	5	*			o					o			o									x		
Ceratophyllum demersum	2					x		x				o												
Elatine minima	7	x			x		x		x						x				x			x		
Eleocharis spp. (2)	5	x			x									x	x									
Elodea canadensis	5		x	x					x	x											x	x		
Eriocaulon septangulare	8	x	o		*		*		x				x	x					o		x	x		
Isoetes sp.	9		x	x	x	o		o	x	o	o		x	x	o				o	*	x	x	x	
Juncus pelocarpus	8		x		x		o		o				x	o					o			x		
Juncus militaris	3	x							x				o											
Lobelia Dortmanna	7		x		x		x		x	x					x							x		
Lycopus sp.	3	x																	x					
Myriophyllum alterniflorum	1																					o		
Myriophyllum Farwellii	3	o	x										x											
Myriophyllum heterophyllum	1		x																					
Myriophyllum tenellum	7		o		o	x			o	o					x							x		
Najas flexilis	8	x	x	x				x	x	x			x			x			x	x		x		
Nuphar variegatum	4	x			x								x	x										
Nymphaea odorata	9	x	x		x		x		o				o	x					x		x	x		
Nymphoides cordatum	7	x	x				x		x				o	x					x			x		
Polygonum natans	1	x																						
Pontederia cordata	4	x			x		x		x															
Potamogeton amplifolius	2		x										x											
Potamogeton Berchtoldii	3														x						x	o	x	
Potamogeton capillaceus	3	o	x	x	x	x							x											
Potamogeton epihydrus	6	x			x			x					x									x		
Potamogeton foliosus	3		x	x									x											
Potamogeton natans	1	x																						
Potamogeton obtusifolius	3				x										x	x	x		x	x				
Potamogeton Richardsonii	5			x									x	x					x	x		x		
Potamogeton Spirillus	8	x			x		x	x					x	x					x	x	x	x		
Ranunculus reptans	6				x		x		x						x				x			x		
Sagittaria sp.	7	x	o		x	x	x		x				x	x	x				o					
Sparganium sp.	9	o	x		x		o			x			o	x					x		x	x		
Utricularia gibba	1												x											
Utricularia intermedia	1	x																						
Utricularia purpurea	3	o	x						x	o	x		x											
Utricularia vulgaris	4	x			x				x				x											
Vallisneria americana	8	x	x	o		x		o	x	o					x	o	o		o	o	x	x	x	
Chara vulgaris	3	x	o	*				*		x	*				x	x	x	x	o	x				
Nitella sp.	3												x	x	x	x	o		x					
Nitella tenuissima	9	x	x		x	o	x			x	x		x	x					o		x	x	x	
Drepanocladus sp.	1																		x					
Fontinalis antipyretica	7	x	x		x		x			x	x		x						x		x			

Table A13

GEORGE LAKE



0 km 0.5



- heavy macrophyte growth along 7 of 10 transects
- maximum depth of tracheophytes was 8 m
- heavy Sphagnum growth was observed in deeper water to a maximum depth of 18 m (transect 1)
- extensive survey of waters deeper than 8 m could not be conducted

FIG. A-14

GEORGE LAKE¹
(July 12/79)

Bottom Cover - <5% (x), 5-50% (o), >50% (*)

TRANSECT	1	2	3	4	5
DEPTH	0 1.0 2.1 5.0 11.0	0 1.0	0.5 1.3 7.2	0 0.5 4.5 6.5	0 2.0
ZONE (m)	1.0 2.1 5.0 11.0 18.0	1.0 7.2	1.3 7.2 8.	0.5 4.5 6.5 8.	2.0 6.5
TOTAL	x o o * x	* *	* * *	o * *	o o
Brasenia Schreberi	1				x
Elatine minima	4	x	x	x x	
Eleocharis acicularis	5	x		x x	x
Eriocaulon septangulare	10	x o	*	o	x
Isoetes sp.	10	x	x	o	x
Juncus pelocarpus	8	x	o	o o	x
Lobelia Dortmanna	7	x	x	x	
Lycopus sp.	7		x	x x	x
Myriophyllum Farwellii	1			o	
Myriophyllum tenellum	4	x o	x	x x	
Nymphaea odorata	5	x x	x	x	x
Pontederia cordata	2				
Potamogeton confervoides	9	x	o o * o	o o * x	x o
Potamogeton epihydrus	1				
Ranunculus reptans	1				
Sagittaria sp.	3		x		
Sparganium sp.	9	x	x x	x x	x
Utricularia purpurea	6		x x o x	x o o	
Utricularia vulgaris	8		x	x	x
Drepanocladus sp.	1				
Fontinalis sp.	2				
Hygroamblystegium tenax	1				
Sphagnum subsecundum	7		*		o
platyphyllum					
Sphagnum teres	1				

Plant growth exceeded 9m on transects 3,4,6 and 8, but technical problems necessitated stopping mapping at 8m.

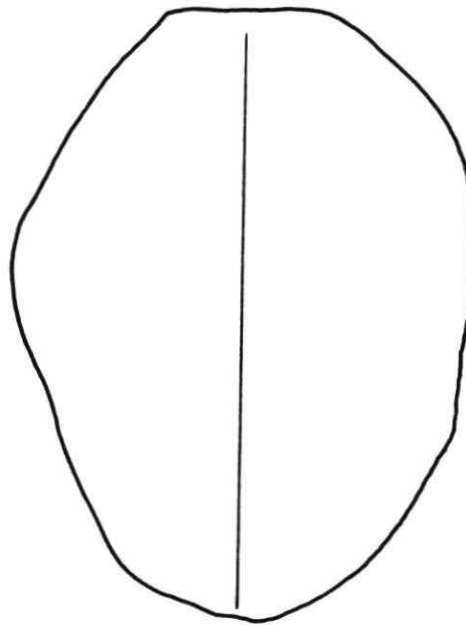
Table A14

GEORGE LAKE (Cont'd.)

TRANSECT		6			7			8			9				10		
DEPTH		0	2.0	5.5	0	1.0	6.0	0	1.0	6.0	0	2.0	5.5	7.5	0	1.5	3.0
ZONE (m)		2.0	5.5	8.	1.0	6.0	8.0	1.0	6.0	8.	2.0	5.5	7.5	13.0	1.5	3.0	8.0
TOTAL		o	o	o	x	x	o	o	x	*	x	o	o	*	*	o	x
Brasenia Schreberi	1																
Elatine minima	4														o		
Eleocharis acicularis	5				x										o		
Eriocaulon septangulare	10	x			x			x			x				o		
Isoetes sp.	10	x	x		x	x		x	x		x	o				x	
Juncus pelocarpus	8	x									x				x		
Lobelia Dortmanna	7				x						x				x	x	
Lycopus sp.	7	x			x						x				x		
Myriophyllum Farwellii	1																
Myriophyllum tenellum	4											o					
Nymphaea odorata	5				x												
Pontederia cordata	2				x			x									
Pontamogeton confervoides	9	x			x							x	x			x	
Potamogeton epihydrus	1														x		
Ranunculus reptans	1							x									
Sagittaria sp.	3										x				o		
Sparganium sp.	9	x			x			x							x	x	
Utricularia purpurea	6											x	x			x	x
Utricularia vulgaris	8		x			x	x					x					x
Drepanocladus sp.	1													o			
Fontinalis sp.	2											x					
Hygroamblystegium tenax	1																
Sphagnum subsecundum	7		x	o			o			*			o	*			
platyphyllum																	
Sphagnum teres	1										x						

GORHAM & GORDON #4

- surveyed one transect across middle of lake
- Eleocharis was the dominant and deepest growing (1.8m) vascular plant
- 100% Drepanocladus coverage from 2 to 5 m



0 m 100

- not drawn to scale

FIG. A-15

G.&G. 4 Bottom Cover - <5% (x), 5-50% (o), >50% (*)
(June 12/79)

TRANSECT	1		
	0.8	1.8	5.0
DEPTH	0.8	1.8	5.0
ZONE (m)	0.8	1.8	5.0
TOTAL	*	o	*
Eleocharis acicularis	o	o	
Juncus pelocarpus	o	x	
Nuphar variegatum	x		
Sagittaria sp.	x		
Sparganium sp.	x	x	
Drepanocladus exannulatus			*
Pohlia nutans schimperii	x		

Table A15

GORHAM & GORDON #8

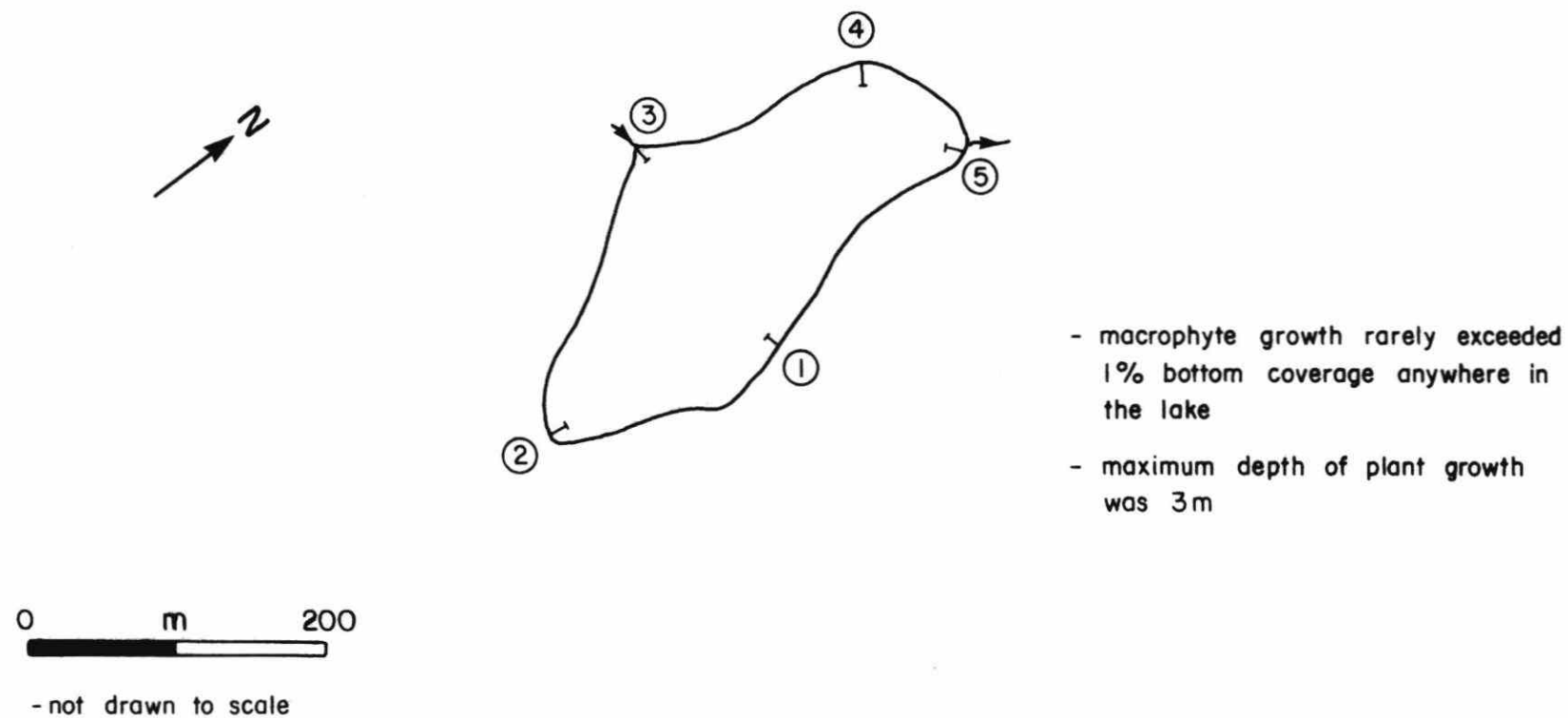


FIG. A-16

Table A16

Bottom Cover - <5% (x), 5-50% (o), >50% (*)

G.&G. 8

(June 12/79)

TRANSECT	1	2	3	4	5
DEPTH	0	0	0	0	0
ZONE (m)	2.0	2.0	2.0	3.0	2.0
TOTAL	x	x	x	x	o
Eleocharis acicularis					o
Juncus pelocarpus			x		
Nuphar variegatum			x		
Potamogeton pusillus	x	x	x	x	
Sagittaria sp.			x		
Sparganium sp.	x	x	x	x	x

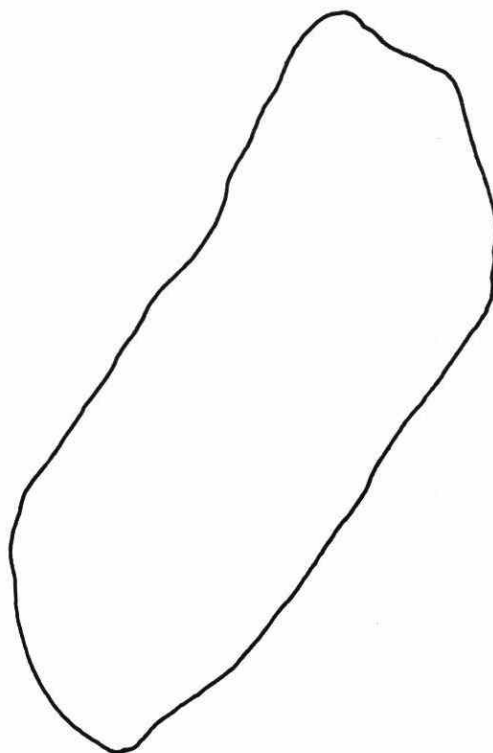
GORHAM & GORDON #14



0 m 100



- not drawn to scale



- surveyed entire perimeter of lake
- only a few scattered plants because of the lack of suitable sites (most of the inshore areas were comprised of steep sloped rocky bottoms)

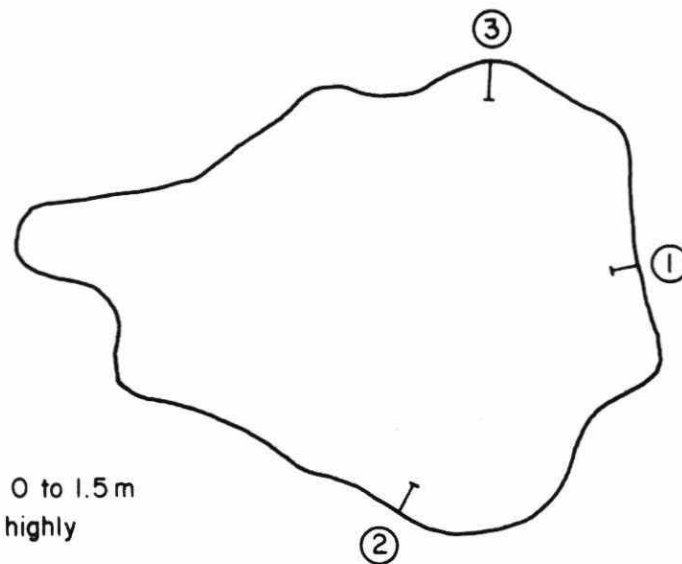
FIG. A-17

Table A17

Bottom Cover - <5% (x), 5-50% (o), >50% (*)
 G.&G. 14
 (June 13/79)

	TRANSECT	1
	DEPTH	0
	ZONE (m)	1.5
	TOTAL	x
Juncus sp.		x
Sparganium sp.		x
Cladopodiella fluitans		x
Pohlia nutans schimperii		x

GORHAM & GORDON #21



- heavy macrophyte growth from 0 to 1.5m
and lighter growth to 2.5m, in highly
coloured waters

- dominant plants are Eleocharis and Eriocaulon

0 m 200

- not drawn to scale

FIG. A-18

Table A18

Bottom Cover - <5% (x), 5-50% (o), >50% (*)

G.&G. 21
(Aug. 23/79)

TRANSECT	1		2		3	
DEPTH	0	1.5	0	1.5	0	1.5
ZONE (m)	1.5	2.5	1.5	2.5	1.5	2.5
TOTAL	*	o	*	o	*	x
Eleocharis acicularis	*	x	*	o	o	x
Eriocaulon septangulare	o	o	o	x	*	x
Nuphar variegatum			x			

GORHAM & GORDON # 54

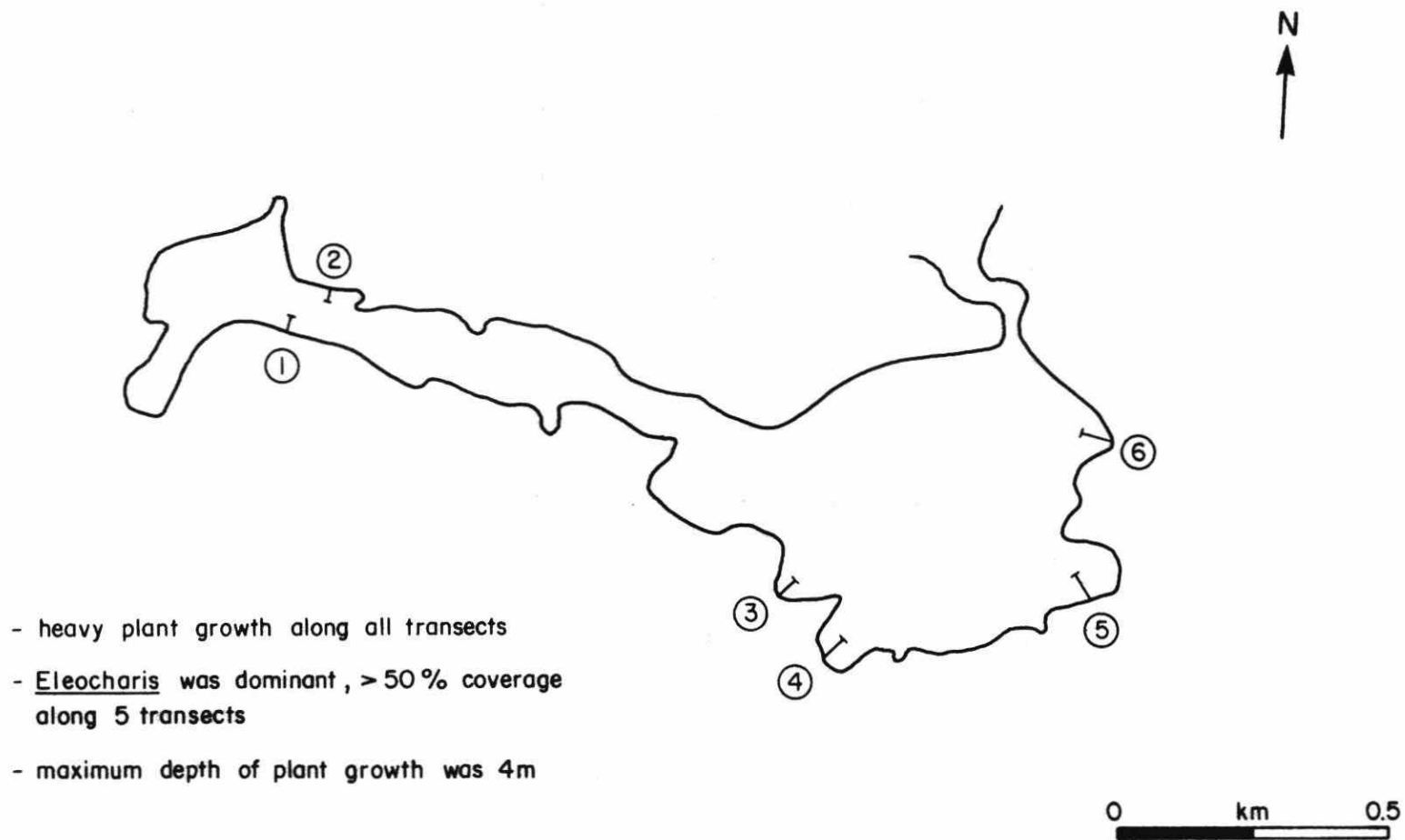


FIG. A-19

G.&G. 54
(June 14/79)

Bottom Cover - <5% (x), 5-50% (o), >50% (*)

TRANSECT	1		2		3		4		5	6	
	0	1.0	0	1.0	0	0.5	0	0.5	0	0	0.5
	ZONE (m)	1.0 4.0	1.0 4.0	1.0 4.0	0.5 2.0	0.5 2.0	0.5 3.0	1.5	0.5 2.0	0.5 2.0	0.5 2.0
TOTAL	*	*	*	*	o	*	x	*	*	x	*
Eleocharis acicularis	*	*	*	*	o	*		*	*	x	o
Juncus pelocarpus	x		x			x					x
Pohlia nutans schimperii	x	o	x	o	x		x	x	x	x	o

Table A19

GORHAM & GORDON #75

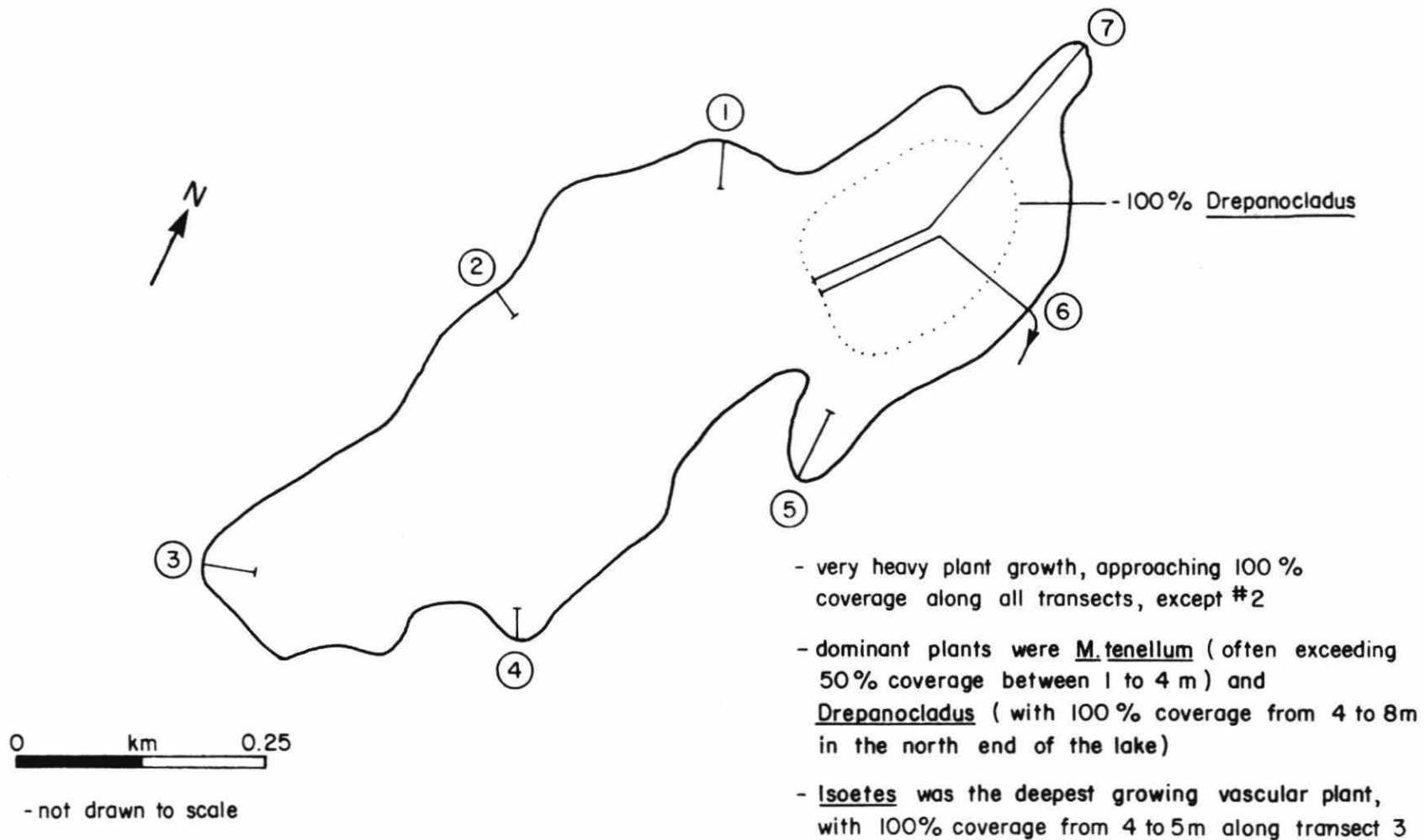


FIG. A-20

G.&G. 75
(Aug. 16/79)

Bottom Cover - <5% (x), 5-50% (o), >50% (*)

	TRANSECT	1			2		3					4	
	DEPTH	0	1.5	3.0	0	1.7	0	1.0	1.6	3.0	4.0	0	1.8
	ZONE (m)	1.5	3.0	3.5	1.7	2.2	1.0	1.6	3.0	4.0	5.0	1.8	3.8
	TOTAL	x	*	x	o	x	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Eleocharis acicularis	5				o		*	o				o	
Eriocaulon septangulare	7	x			o		o	o				o	
Isoetes sp.	5	x	x	x		x	x			x	*		
Myriophyllum tenellum	6		*			x	x	o	o	*		x	*
Nuphar variegatum	2												
Nymphaea odorata	2												
Pontederia cordata	3				x		x					x	
Sparganium sp.	7	x			x		x					x	
Drepanocladus exannulatus	5				x		x	*	*	o			
Sphagnum subsecundum	1						x						
platyphyllum													

	TRANSECT	5			6		7			
	DEPTH	0	1.2	1.7	0	4.5	0	1.3	2.6	4.5
	ZONE (m)	1.2	1.7	4.0	1.0	8.0	1.3	2.6	4.0	8.0
	TOTAL	*	*	*	x	*	*	*	*	*
Eleocharis acicularis	5	o	o				o			
Eriocaulon septangulare	7	*	x	x	x		o	x		
Isoetes sp.	5			x					o	
Myriophyllum tenellum	6		o	*			o	*	*	
Nuphar variegatum	2	x			x					
Nymphaea odorata	2	x			x					
Pontederia cordata	3				x					
Sparganium sp.	7	x			x		x	x		
Drepanocladus exannulatus	5	o	*	x		*	x		x	*
Sphagnum subsecundum	1									
platyphyllum										

Table A20

GORHAM & GORDON #94

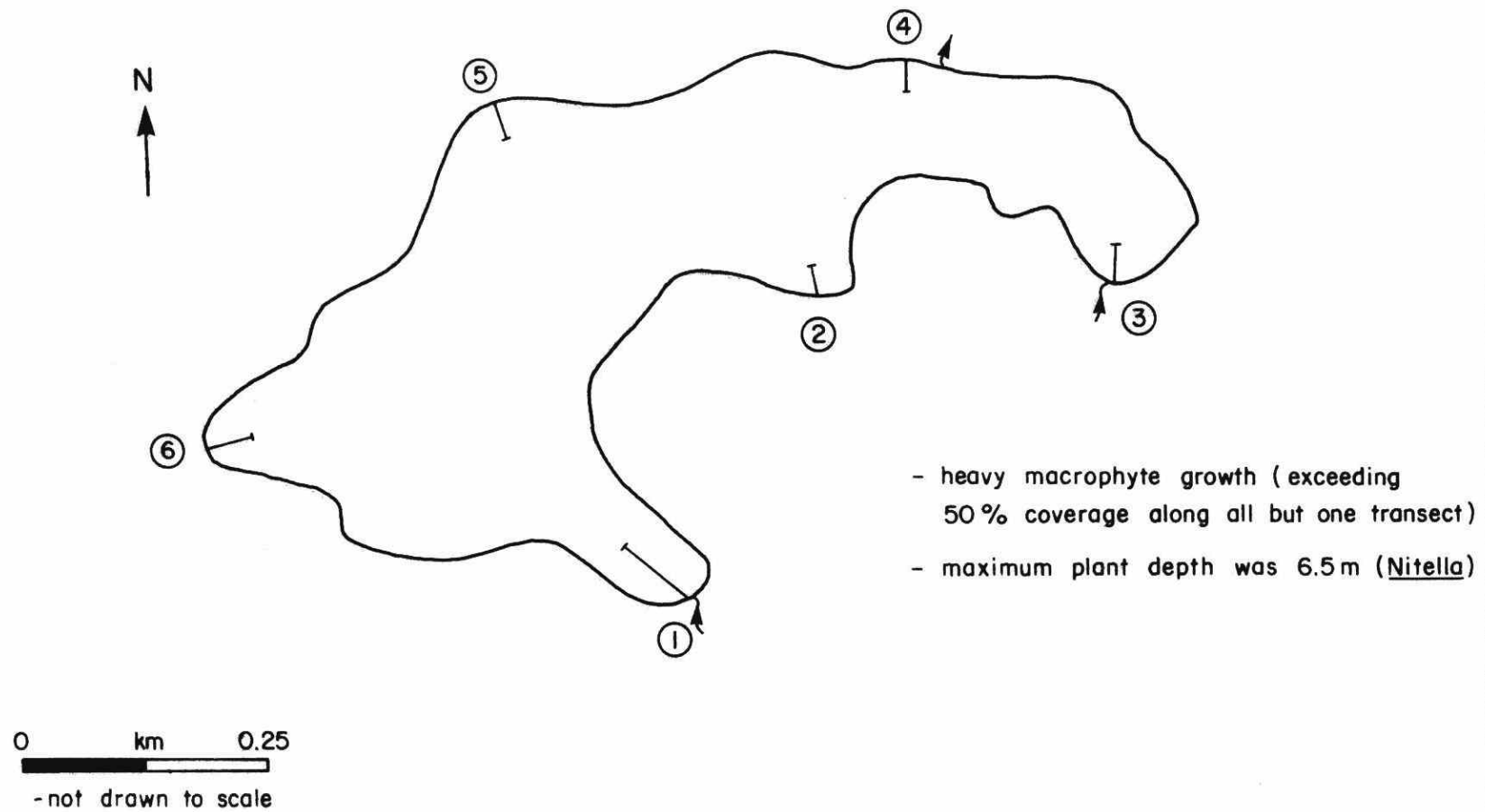


FIG. A-21

G.&G. 94
(Aug. 15/79)

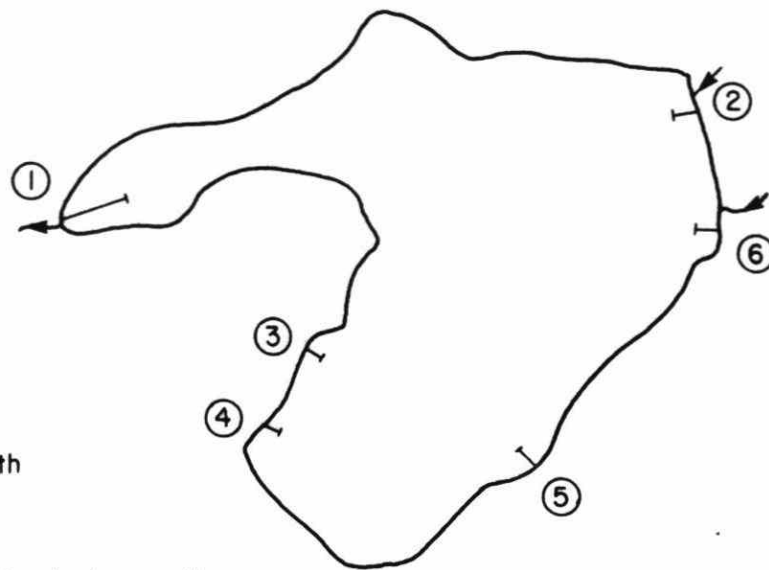
Bottom Cover - <5% (x), 5-50% (o), >50% (*)

TRANSECT	1			2			3			4		5		6		
DEPTH	0	2.0	4.0	0	2.0	4.0	0	2.0	3.0	0	3.0	0	2.0	0	3.0	4.0
ZONE (m)	2.0	4.0	6.5	2.0	4.0	6.5	2.0	3.0	6.0	3.0	6.5	2.0	6.0	3.0	4.0	6.5
TOTAL	*	o	*	*	*	*	*	o	o	o	o	*	*	*	*	o
Brasenia Schreberi	1														x	
Eleocharis acicularis	6	o		x			x			x		x			x	
Eriocaulon septangulare	6	o		o			x			o		o			o	
Isoetes sp.	5		x	x	o		x	o		o					*	
Lobelia Dortmanna	2									x		x				
Lycopus sp.	3						x			x					x	
Myriophyllum tenellum	4			o						x		o	*		*	
Nuphar variegatum	3	x					x						x			
Nymphaea odorata	5	x		x			o					o			x	
Potamogeton epihydrus	4	x					x			x					x	
Potamogeton spirillis	6	x		x			o			x		o			x	
Sagittaria sp.	3						x			x		x				
Sparganium sp.	4	x					x			x					x	
Utricularia gibba	5	o		x						x		x			x	
Utricularia purpurea	5		o	x	o					x		x	x		x	
Utricularia vulgaris	4	x					x					x			x	
Nitella flexilis	6	x	x	*		*			o		o		o			o
Nitella tenuissima	6	x			x		x			x		x			x	
Drepanocladus exannulatus	4	o		o			x								x	
Fontinalis antipyretica	1									x						
Sphagnum palustre	1			x												
Sphagnum subsecundum	3	x		x								x				
platyphyllum																

Table A21

GORHAM & GORDON #103

- variable macrophyte growth
- Eriocaulon is dominant
- coloured water limited most plant growth to <1m, although some species extended this range to 3m



0 km 0.5
- not drawn to scale

FIG. A-22

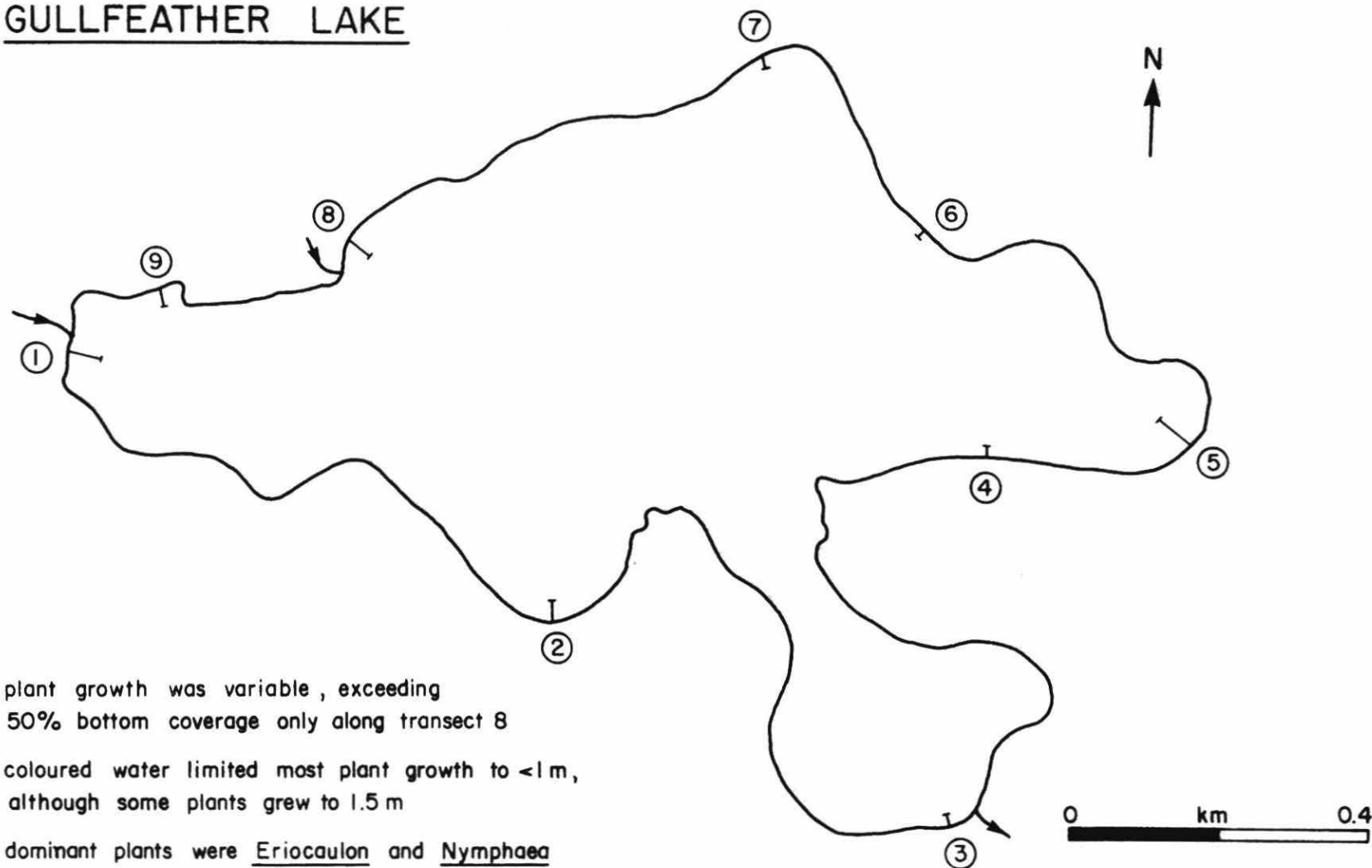
Table A22

G.&G. 103
(Aug. 14/79)

Bottom Cover - <5% (x), 5-50% (o), >50% (*)

	TRANSECT	1	2	3	4	5	6	
	DEPTH	0	0 1.0	0	0	0	0 1.0	
	ZONE (m)	1.0	1.0 3.0	0.7	1.0	1.2	1.0 2.3	
	TOTAL	o	* x	o	o	o	* *	
<i>Eleocharis acicularis</i>	4	x	x	x		x		
<i>Eriocaulon septangulare</i>	5	o	* x	o	x	o		
<i>Isoetes</i> sp.	2				x	o		
<i>Juncus militaris</i>	6	x	x	x	x	x	o o	
<i>Juncus pelocarpus</i>	3	x	o			x		
<i>Lobelia Dortmanna</i>	4	x	x	x		x		
<i>Myriophyllum Farwellii</i>	1				x			
<i>Myriophyllum tenellum</i>	1		x					
<i>Nuphar variegatum</i>	1						x	
<i>Nymphaea odorata</i>	5	x	x	x	x		o	
<i>Potamogeton Berchtoldii</i>	2				x	x		
<i>Potamogeton epihydrus</i>	5	x	x		x	x	x	
<i>Potamogeton natans</i>	1						x	
<i>Sagittaria</i> sp.	3			x		x	x	
<i>Sparganium</i> sp.	3	x		x			o	x
<i>Utricularia gibba</i>	3	x	x x	x				
<i>Utricularia intermedia</i>	3		x	x			o	x
<i>Utricularia purpurea</i>	5	x	x x	x	x		o	
<i>Utricularia vulgaris</i>	1						o	x
<i>Nitella tenuissima</i>	2	x				x		
<i>Drepanocladus exannulatus</i>	1		x x					

GULLFEATHER LAKE



- plant growth was variable , exceeding 50% bottom coverage only along transect 8
- coloured water limited most plant growth to <1 m, although some plants grew to 1.5 m
- dominant plants were Eriocaulon and Nymphaea

FIG. A-23

GULLFEATHER LAKE
(June 6/79)

Bottom Cover - <5% (x), 5-50% (o), >50% (*)

TRANSECT		1		2		3	4	5		6	7	8		9
DEPTH		0	1.0	0	0.5	0	0	0	0.5	0	0	0	0.3	0
ZONE (m)		1.0	1.5	0.5	1.0	0.3	0.8	0.5	1.0	0.6	0.6	0.3	0.8	0.8
TOTAL		o	o	o	o	x	o	o	x	o	o	*	o	o
<i>Brasenia Schreberi</i>	1			x										
<i>Eleocharis acicularis</i>	1		x											
<i>Eriocaulon septangulare</i>	9	o		o		x	o	o		o	o	*		o
<i>Isoetes</i> sp.	3			x				x			x			
<i>Juncus militaris</i>	2					x						x		
<i>Lobelia Dortmanna</i>	4	x				x					x	x		
<i>Lycopus</i> sp.	7	x		x			x	x		x	x	x		
<i>Myriophyllum tenellum</i>	3							x		x	x			
<i>Nuphar variegatum</i>	3			x			x				x			
<i>Nymphaea odorata</i>	8	o	o	o	o		x	x	x	x	x	x		o
<i>Pontederia cordata</i>	9	o		x		x	x	x		x	x	x		x
<i>Potamogeton epihydrus</i>	2	x												o
<i>Potamogeton natans</i>	2						x					x		
<i>Potamogeton Oakesianus</i>	1													x
<i>Sparganium</i> sp.	2	x	x								x			
<i>Utricularia resupinata</i>	1												o	
<i>Utricularia vulgaris</i>	2	x										x		
<i>Fontinalis antipyretica</i>	5			o		x	x	x				x	x	
<i>Sphagnum subsecundum</i>	1									x				
<i>contortum</i>														

Table A23

HANNAH LAKE

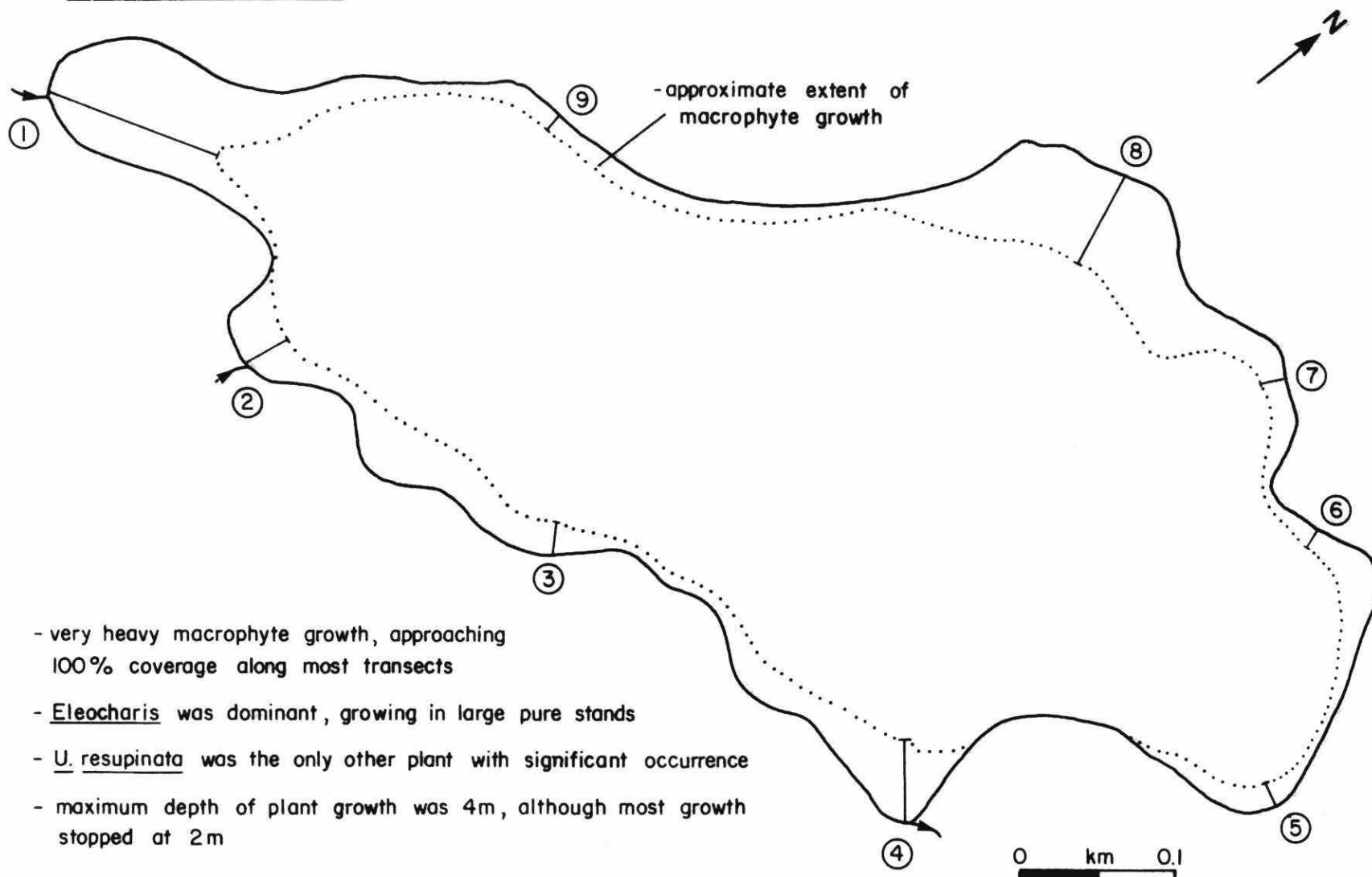


FIG. A-24

HANNAH LAKE
(July 18/78)

Bottom Cover - <5% (x), 5-50% (o), >50% (*)

	TRANSECT	1		2		3		4	5	6		7	8	9	
	DEPTH	0.3	0.8	0	0.5	0	0.5	0.5	0	0	1.2	0	0	0	2.5
	ZONE (m)	0.8	2.4	0.5	2.0	0.5	1.0	1.0	2.0	0.3	2.0	2.0	1.6	2.5	4.0
	TOTAL	x	*	*	*	o	*	*	*	o	o	*	*	*	x
Eleocharis acicularis	9	x	*	o	*		*	*	*	o	o	*	*	*	x
Eriocaulon septangulare	2		x										x		
Isoetes sp.	1			x											
Juncus pelocarpus	5	x		x		o	x	x	x						
Pontederia cordata	1	x													
Sagittaria sp.	1											x			
Utricularia resupinata	4	x	x	o	o			o	o						
Drepanocladus sp.	9	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x		x	x	x	

Table A24

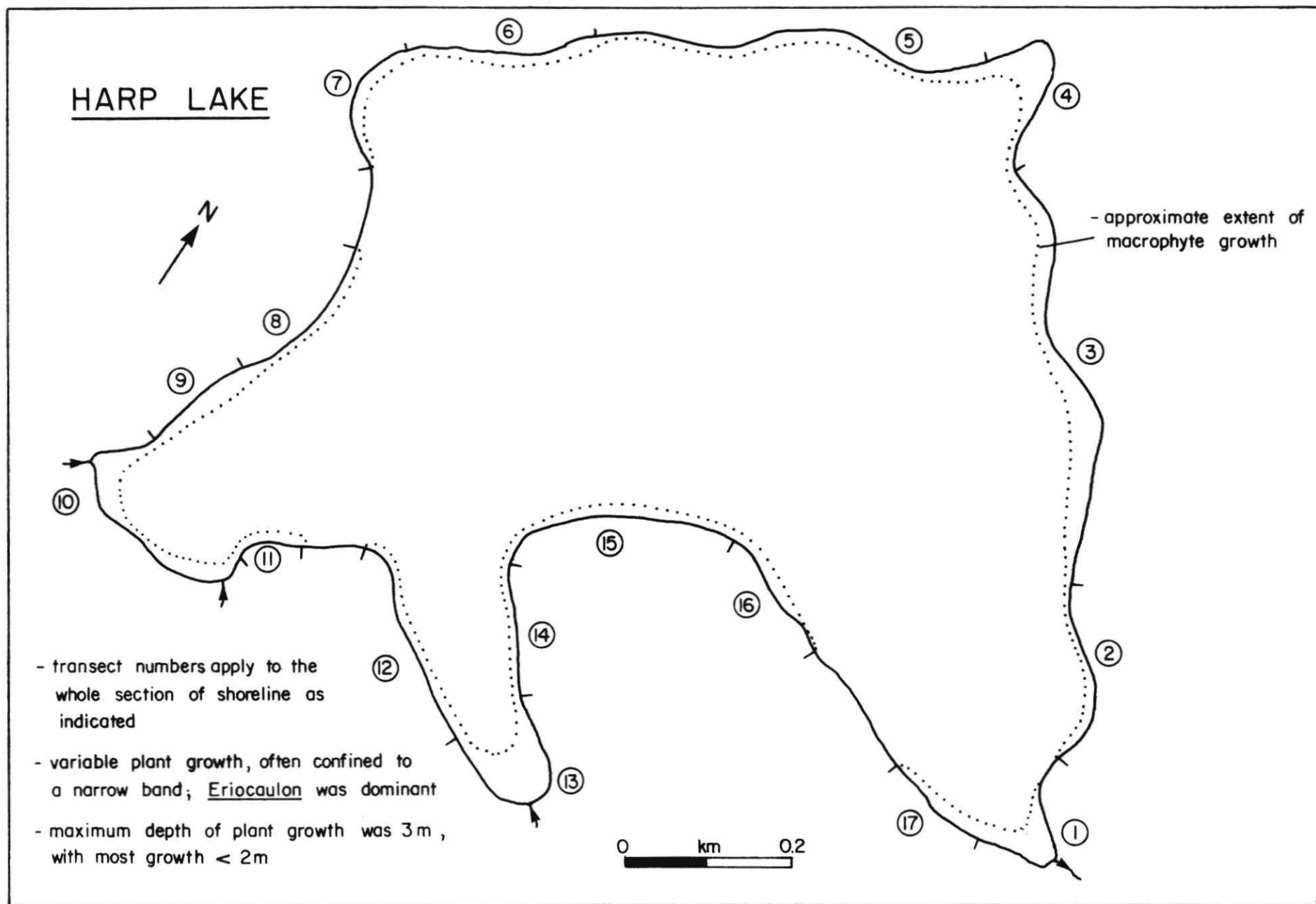


FIG. A-25

HARP LAKE
(May 30/78)

Bottom Cover - <5% (x), 5-50% (o), >50% (*)

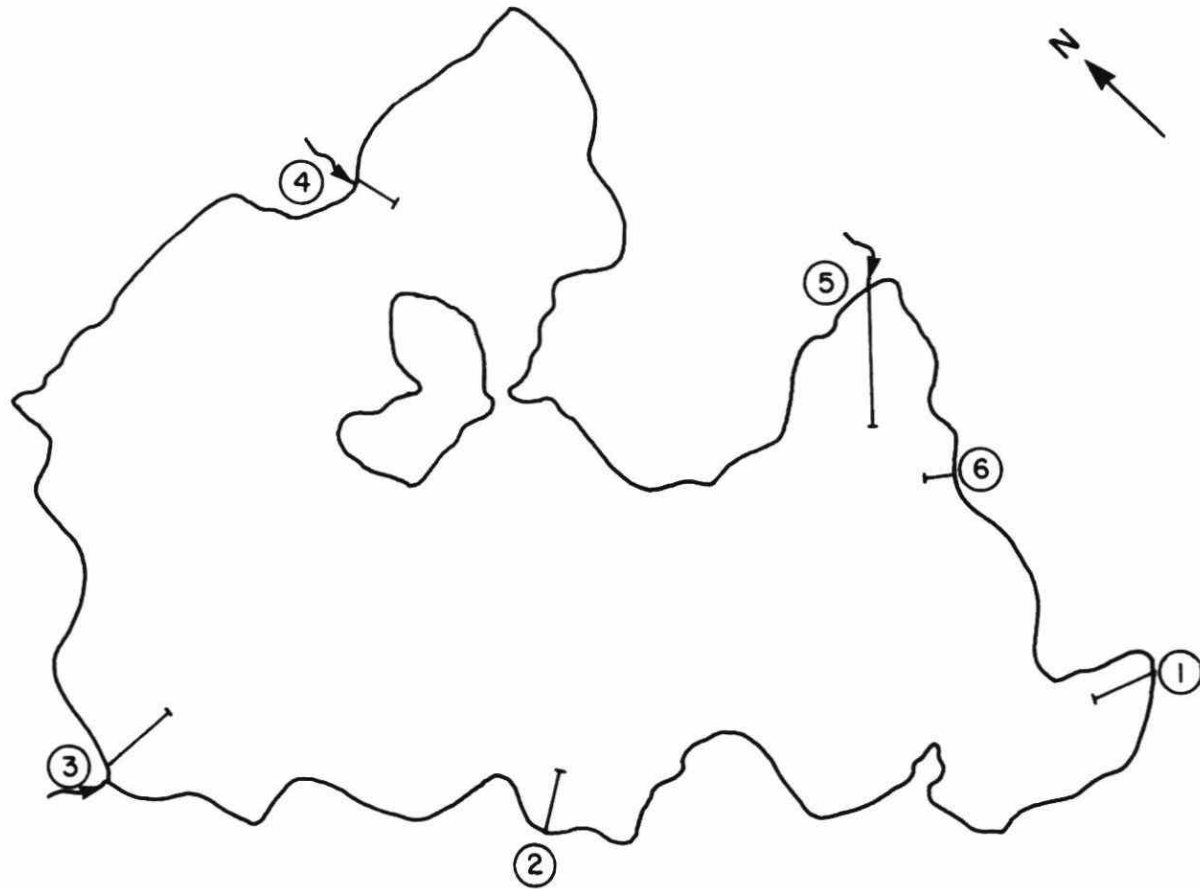
	TRANSECT	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
DEPTH		0 1.2	0	0	0	0 2.0	0.5	0	0.4	0.5	0
ZONE (m)		1.2 2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0 3.0	1.5	1.5	0.6	1.0	1.5
TOTAL		* x	o	x	o	o x	x	o	o	o	*
Eleocharis acicularis	3		x	x	x						
Eriocaulon septangulare	14	* x	o	x	x	o	x	o	o	o	*
Isoetes sp.	7					x		x	x		
Juncus pelocarpus	5	x	x			x					
Lobelia Dortmanna	7	x	x	x		x	x				
Nuphar variegatum	1							x			
Pontederia cordata	3							x	x		
Sparganium sp.	4	x	x		x						
Utricularia minor	1				x						
Utricularia vulgaris	1				x						
Nitella flexilis	2				x			x			
Fontinalis antipyretica	4		x		x						
Sphagnum sp.	1		x								

Table A25

Bottom Cover - <5% (x), 5-50% (o), >50% (*)
HARP LAKE (Cont'd.)
(May 30/78)

	TRANSECT	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	
DEPTH		0.5	0.5	0	0.5	1.0	0	0.5	1.0
ZONE (m)		1.0	1.0	2.0	1.5	1.5	1.0	1.0	2.0
TOTAL		x	x	o	*	x	*	o	x
Eleocharis acicularis	3								
Eriocaulon septangulare	14			o	*		*	o	
Isoetes sp.	7			x		x	o		x
Juncus pelocarpus	5				x	x			
Lobelia Dortmanna	7			x				o	
Nuphar variegatum	1								
Pontederia cordata	3		x						
Sparganium sp.	4				x				
Utricularia minor	1								
Utricularia vulgaris	1								
Nitella flexilis	2								
Fontinalis antipyretica	4	x		x					
Sphagnum sp.	1								

HEALY LAKE



- moderate to heavy macrophyte growth along
all transects to a maximum depth of 3 m

0 km 2

FIG. A-26

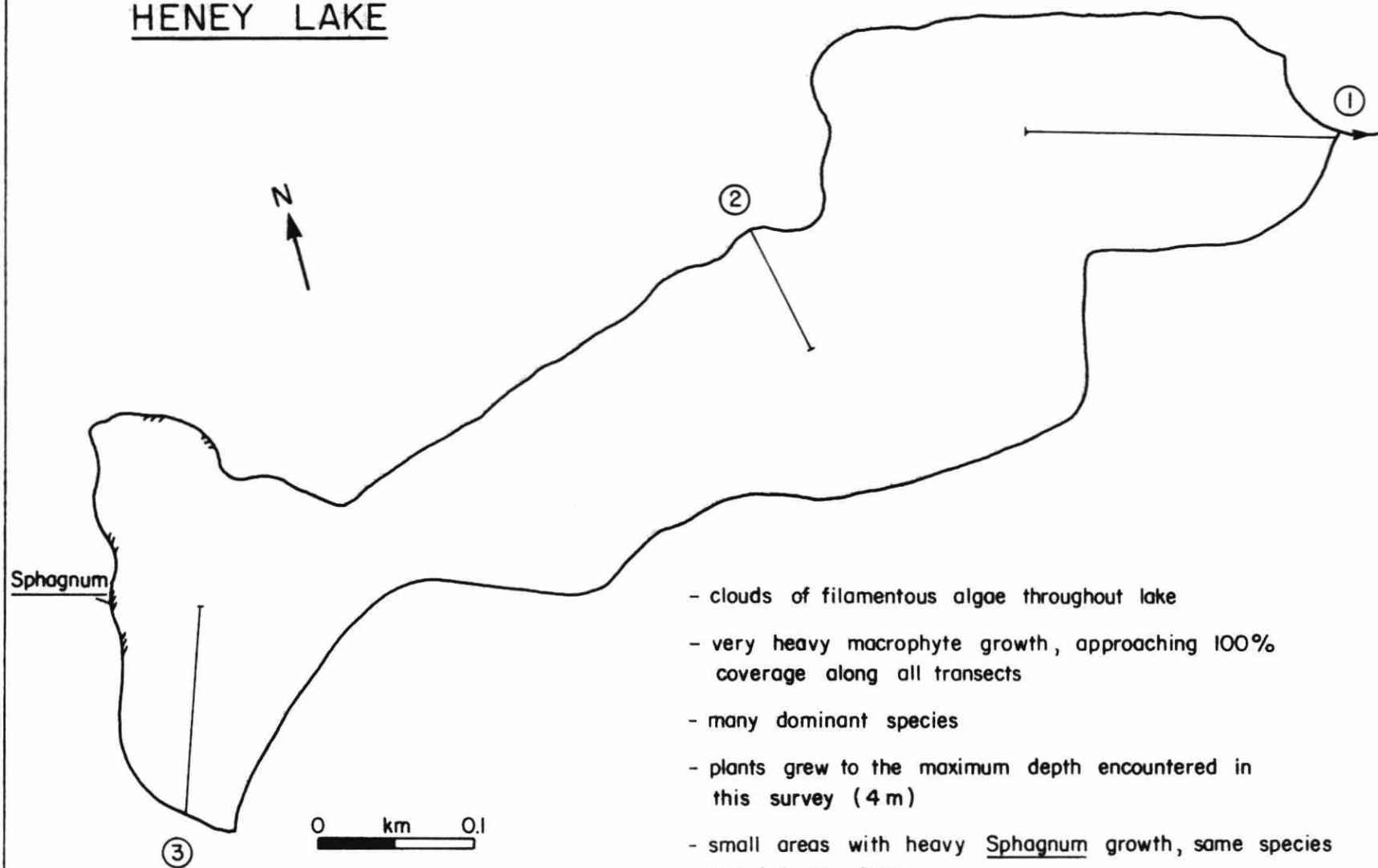
HEALEY LAKE
(June 20/79)

Bottom Cover - <5% (x), 5-50% (o), >50% (*)

	TRANSECT	1		2		3		4		5		6	
		DEPTH		0		0		0		0		0	
		1.0	2.5	1.0	2.5	1.0	2.5	1.0	3.0	1.0	2.0	1.0	2.0
TOTAL		o	*	*	o	o	o	o	o	*	o		o
<i>Brasenia Schreberi</i>	3						x	x		x			
<i>Eleocharis acicularis</i>	1									x			
<i>Eriocaulon septangulare</i>	5			o		o		o		o		o	
<i>Isoetes</i> sp.	1											x	
<i>Juncus militaris</i>	6	x	*	o	o		o	x		o	o	x	x
<i>Juncus pelocarpus</i>	1											x	
<i>Lobelia Dortmanna</i>	3			x		x						x	
<i>Myriophyllum tenellum</i>	4			x		o					o	o	o
<i>Nymphaea odorata</i>	4	o	o	o	x	x	x	o					
<i>Nymphoides cordatum</i>	1									o			
<i>Pontederia cordata</i>	6	x		x		x		x		x		x	
<i>Potamogeton confervoides</i>	5	x	x	x		x		x		x		x	
<i>Potamogeton epihydrus</i>	2							x		x			
<i>Potamogeton natans</i>	1					x							
<i>Sparganium</i> sp.	1							x					
<i>Utricularia intermedia</i>	2			x				x					
<i>Utricularia purpurea</i>	4			x	x	x	x				x	x	x
<i>Utricularia resupinata</i>	4			x		o		x				x	x
<i>Utricularia vulgaris</i>	5	x	x		x	x	x	x	x	o	x		
<i>Vallisneria americana</i>	2							o	o	o			
<i>Fontinalis antipyretica</i>	4	x	x	x		o						x	
<i>Sphagnum cuspidatum</i>	1	x											

Table A26

HENEY LAKE



- clouds of filamentous algae throughout lake
- very heavy macrophyte growth, approaching 100% coverage along all transects
- many dominant species
- plants grew to the maximum depth encountered in this survey (4 m)
- small areas with heavy Sphagnum growth, same species growing on shore

FIG. A-27

HENEY LAKE
(July 31/79)

Bottom Cover - <5% (x), 5-50% (o), >50% (*)

	TRANSECT	1				2				3			
	DEPTH	0	1.0	2.6	3.6	0	1.0	3.0	3.6	0	1.0	2.5	3.7
	ZONE (m)	1.0	2.5	3.6	4.0	1.0	3.0	3.6	3.8	1.0	2.5	3.7	4.0
	TOTAL	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	x
Brasenia Schreberi	3	x	x			x				x	x	x	x
Eleocharis acicularis	1	x											
Eleocharis Robbinsii	1					x							
Eriocaulon septangulare	3	o	x			*	x			o			
Isoetes sp.	3		x	*	x	x		*	x		x	*	
Juncus militaris	3	x	x			x	x			x	x		
Juncus pelocarpus	2	x					x						
Lobelia Dortmanna	2	x				x	x						
Lycopus sp.	1	x											
Myriophyllum tenellum	3	x	*			x	o				*		
Najas flexilis	3	x	x	x	o				o				x
Nymphaea odorata	3	x				x	x			x			
Nymphoides cordatum	3	x	x		x	x		x		o	x	x	
Pontederia cordata	3	x	x			x	x			x			
Potamogeton Berchtoldii	1		x		x								
Potamogeton capillaceus	1					x							
Potamogeton confervoides	3	x	x	x	o	x		x	o		x	x	x
Potamogeton epihydrus	1					x							
Potamogeton natans	1									o	x		
Potamogeton Oakesianus	1					x							
Sparganium sp.	2	x					x						
Utricularia gibba	3	x	x	x	o	x		x	x	x			x
Utricularia purpurea	3		x	x	o	x	o	x	x		x	x	
Utricularia resupinata	3	o	x			x	o				x		
Utricularia vulgaris	2					x				x			
Nitella gracilis	2			x		x							
Nitella tenuissima	1	x			x								
Fontinalis antipyretica	2	x				x	x						
Sphagnum sp.	1									x			

Table A27

HILLMAN LAKE



③

②

①

④

0 km 0.2

- not drawn to scale

- very heavy macrophyte growth, approaching 100% coverage in the deeper waters of transects 1,3 and 4
- maximum depth of plants was 3m, in noticeably coloured waters

FIG. A-28

Table A28

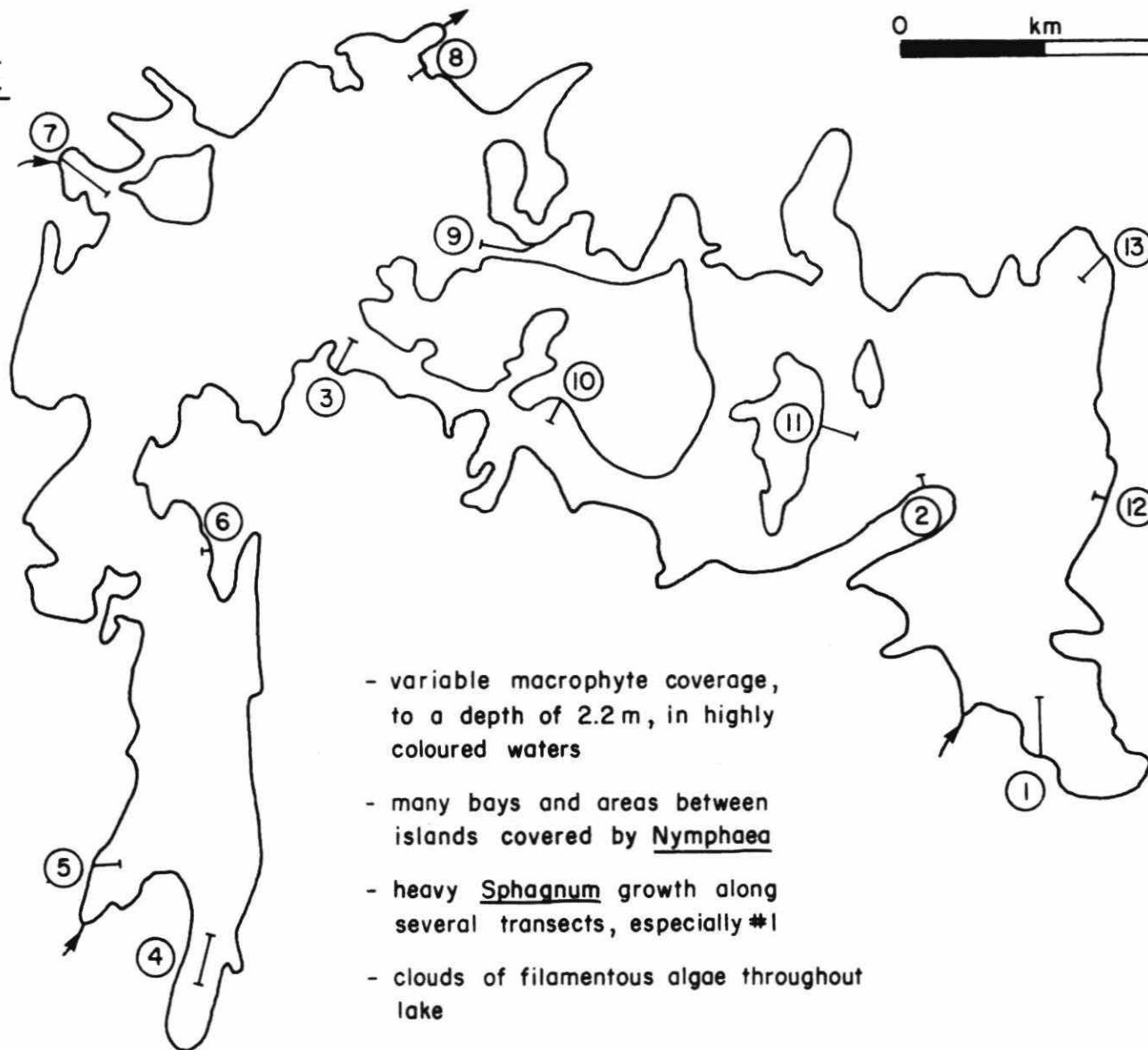
HILLMAN LAKE
(Aug. 9/78)

Bottom Cover - <5% (x), 5-50% (o), >50% (*)

	TRANSECT	1		2		3		4	
	DEPTH	0	1.2	0	1.5	0	0.7	0	2.0
	ZONE (m)	1.2	2.7	1.5	3.0	0.7	3.0	2.0	3.0
	TOTAL	o	*	o	o	o	*	*	*
Brasenia Schreberi	3			x			o	o	
Eriocaulon septangulare	3	o		o				o	
Juncus militaris	4	o	x	x		x	o	o	
Juncus pelocarpus	1	o							
Myriophyllum tenellum	1			x					
Najas flexilis	4	x	o	x	o		o		o
Nuphar variegatum	3			x		o		o	
Nymphaea odorata	3			x		o		o	
Pontederia cordata	4	x	x	x		x		x	
Potamogeton amplifolius	4	x		x	x		o	x	
Potamogeton epihydrus	3	x		x				x	
Potamogeton obtusifolius	2		x					x	
Potamogeton pusillus	3		x		x		x		
Potamogeton Robbinsii	3	x	x				*	o	
Utricularia intermedia	3		x	x				x	
Utricularia purpurea	4	x	o		o			o	o
Utricularia resupinata	2	o	x	o					
Utricularia vulgaris	3			x		x		x	
Nitella sp.	3		o	o	o				*

HORN LAKE

0 km 1



- variable macrophyte coverage, to a depth of 2.2 m, in highly coloured waters
- many bays and areas between islands covered by Nymphaea
- heavy Sphagnum growth along several transects, especially #1
- clouds of filamentous algae throughout lake

FIG. A-29

HORN LAKE
(Aug. 7/79)

Bottom Cover - <5% (x), 5-50% (o), >50% (*)

	TRANSECT	1	2		3	4		5		6	7	8	
	DEPTH	0	0	1.0	0	0	1.0	0	1.0	0	0	0	1.0
	ZONE (m)	1.0	1.0	1.5	2.0	1.0	2.0	1.0	2.0	2.0	1.0	1.0	2.2
	TOTAL	*	*	o	*	*	x	o	x	x	*	*	*
Brasenia Schreberi	6	x						x			x		
Eleocharis acicularis	3		x		o							x	
Juncus militaris	7		x			o		x			o	x	
Lycopus sp.	12	x	x		x	x		x		x	x	x	
Nuphar variegatum	10					o	x	x	x	x	o	x	x
Nymphaea odorata	5	x			x	x					x		
Polygonum natans	6	x			o			x				x	o
Pontederia cordata	2					x							
Potamogeton epihydrus	5				x			x					x
Potamogeton foliosus	1							o					
Potamogeton natans	3					x		x			x		
Potamogeton Oakesianus	1							x					
Sparganium sp.	8	x	x		x	o				x	o	x	
Utricularia vulgaris	11	x	o		o	o	x	o	x		o	o	o
Drepanocladus exannulatus	8	o	o			o					o		x
Fontinalis antipyretica	8		o	o		x	x	x		x			x
Sphagnum cuspidatum	7	*	o		o			x			x		
Sphagnum subsecundum	4				x							o	o
platyphyllum													

Table A29

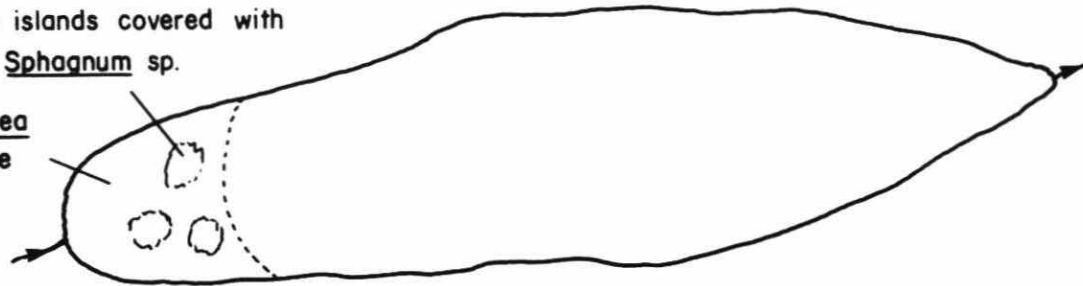
HORN LAKE (Cont'd.)
(Aug. 7/79)

	TRANSECT	9		10		11		12	13		
	DEPTH	0.8	1.3	0	0.7	0	1.6	0	0	0.5	1.0
	ZONE (m)	1.3	2.0	0.7	2.0	1.6	2.1	1.0	0.5	1.0	2.0
	TOTAL	*	x	*	o	o	x	x	o	o	x
Brasenia Schreberi	6	x		x	x	x					
Eleocharis acicularis	3										
Juncus militaris	7	o	x	o	x						
Lycopus sp.	12	x		x		x			x	x	
Nuphar variegatum	10	o	x	x	x	x		x	x	x	x
Nymphaea odorata	5			x							
Polygonum natans	6	x		x	x						
Pontederia cordata	2		x								
Potamogeton epihydrus	5	x	x	x	x						
Potamogeton foliosus	1										
Potamogeton natans	3										
Potamogeton Oakesianus	1										
Sparganium sp.	8			x	x						
Utricularia vulgaris	11	o	x	o	x	x		x			
Drepanocladus exannulatus	8		x	x	x	x					
Fontinalis antipyretica	8		x			x	x		x	o	x
Sphagnum cuspidatum	7	o	x	x	x						
Sphagnum subsecundum platyphyllum	4					o			x		

KRAMER LAKE



- floating organic islands covered with U. cornuta and Sphagnum sp.
- > 50% Nymphaea surface coverage



- surveyed entire perimeter of lake
- 100 % U. vulgaris coverage (up to 1m thick)
from 0 to 5m (maximum depth of plant growth)
- thick clouds of filamentous algae throughout lake

0 m 100

- not drawn exactly to scale

FIG. A-30

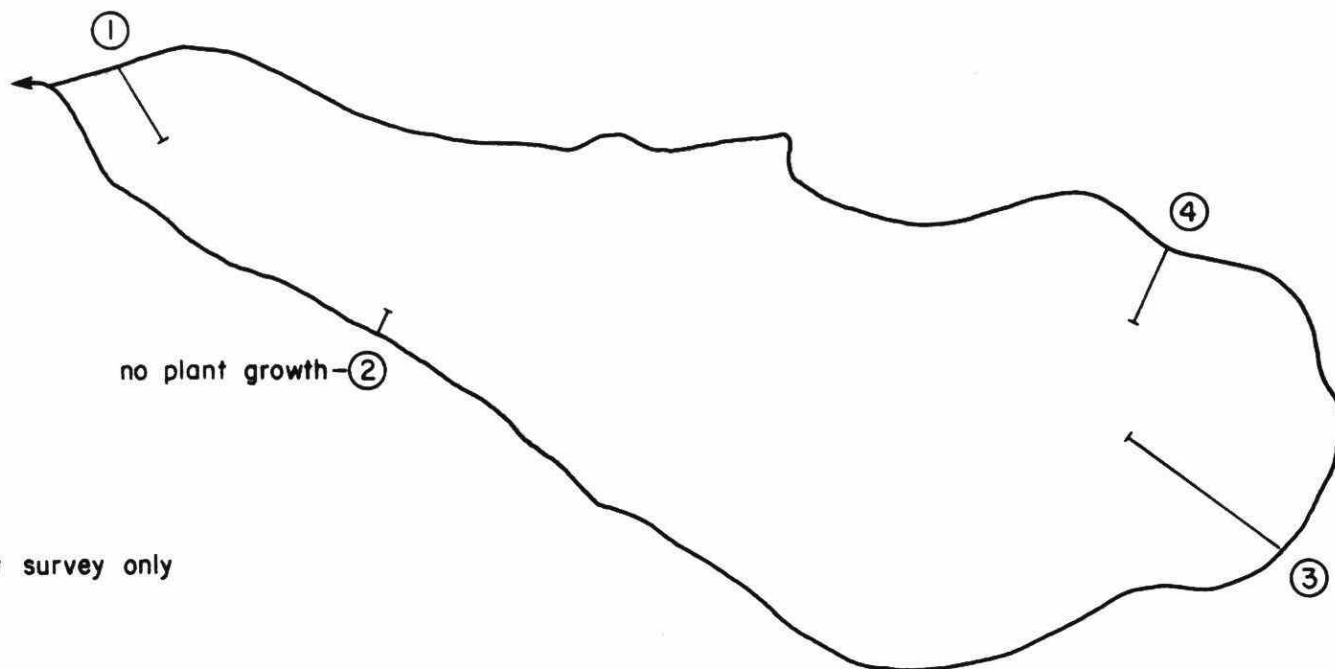
Table A30

KRAMER LAKE
(Aug. 20/79)

Bottom Cover - <5% (x), 5-50% (o), >50% (*)

TRANSECT	1
DEPTH	0
ZONE (m)	5.0
TOTAL	*
Lycopus sp.	x
Nymphaea odorata	x
Utricularia cornuta	x
Utricularia vulgaris	*
Sphagnum cuspidatum	x

LABELLE LAKE



no plant growth—②

- cursory survey only

0 km 0.1

FIG. A-31

Table A31

Bottom Cover - <5% (x), 5-50% (o), >50% (*)
 LABELLE LAKE
 (July 29/77)

	TRANSECT				
		1	3	4	
DEPTH		0	1.5	0	0.5
ZONE (m)		2.0	3.0	0.5	1.5
TOTAL		x	x	x	o
Eriocaulon septangulare	1			*	o
Lobelia Dortmanna	1			x	
Myriophyllum Farwellii	1	x			
Potamogeton natans	1			x	
Utricularia cornuta	1			o	
Nitella sp.	2	x	x		

LEECH LAKE

- variable macrophyte coverage to a depth of 2.5 m
- Eriocaulon was the dominant vascular plant

0 km 0.5

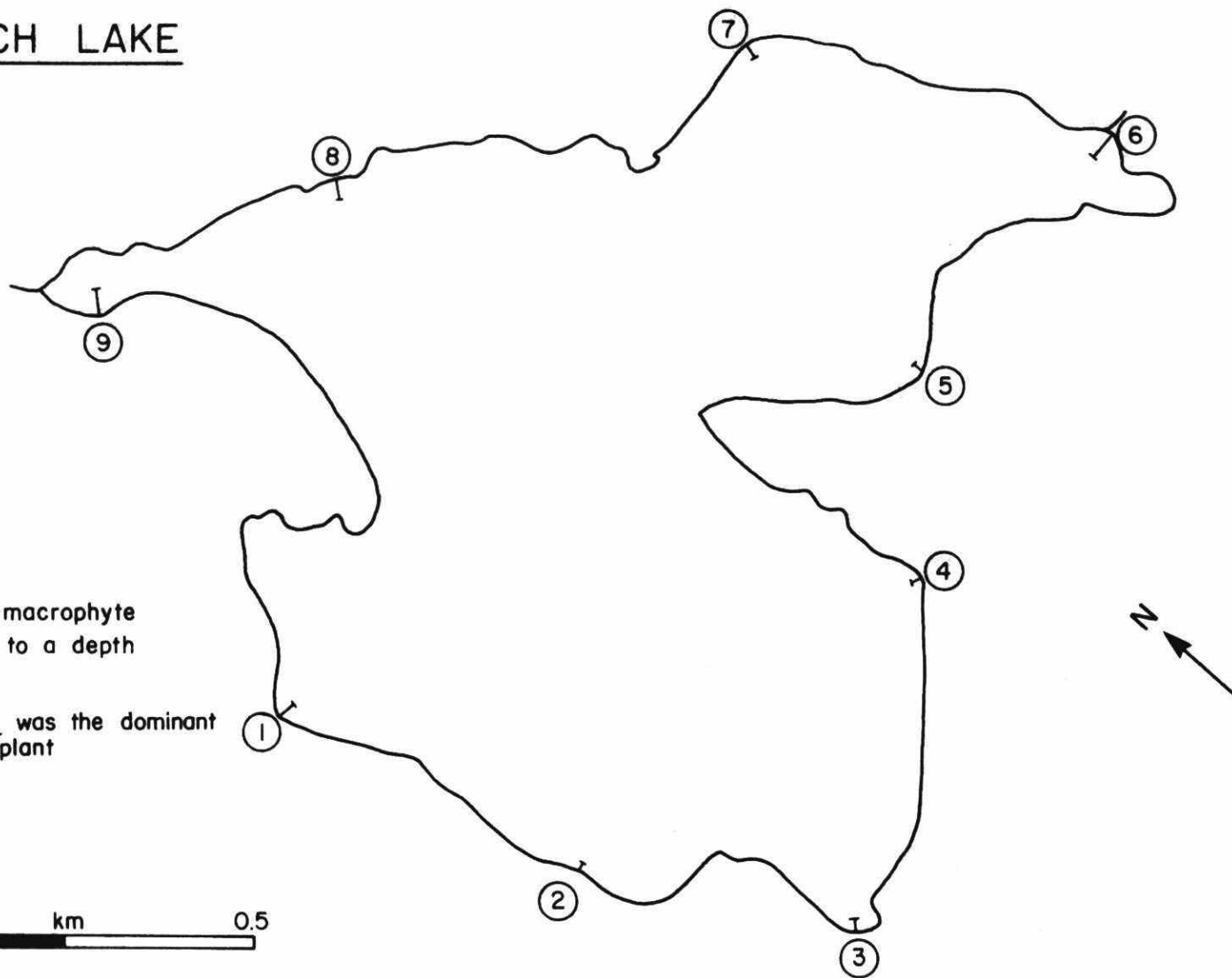


FIG. A-32

LEECH LAKE
(May 6/78)

Bottom Cover - <5% (x), 5-50% (o), >50% (*)

	TRANSECT	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
DEPTH		0	0	0	0	0	0 1.5	0 1.0	0 1.0	0
ZONE (m)		2.5	1.5	1.0	2.0	1.5	1.5 2.0	1.0 2.0	1.0 2.0	1.0
TOTAL		o	o	*	x	o	* o	o x	o x	o
Elatine minima	4					x	o	x	x x	
Eleocharis acicularis	3						x		x	o
Eriocaulon septangulare	8	o	o		x	x	x	o	x	o
Isoetes sp.	7	x	x		x	o	x	x	x x	
Juncus pelocarpus	2						x		x	
Lobelia Dortmanna	1						x			
Lycopus sp.	3	x		x			x			
Myriophyllum tenellum	2						x		x	
Nuphar variegatum	5	x	x	x		x				x
Pontederia cordata	3	x						x		x
Potamogeton epihydrus	2						x			x
Sparganium sp.	2	x					x x			
Utricularia resupinata	1						o o			
Utricularia vulgaris	1			x						
Nitella flexilis	1						x			
Drepanocladus sp.	2			*			o			
Fontinalis antipyretica	5	o		x			o x	o x		o

Table A32

LEONARD LAKE

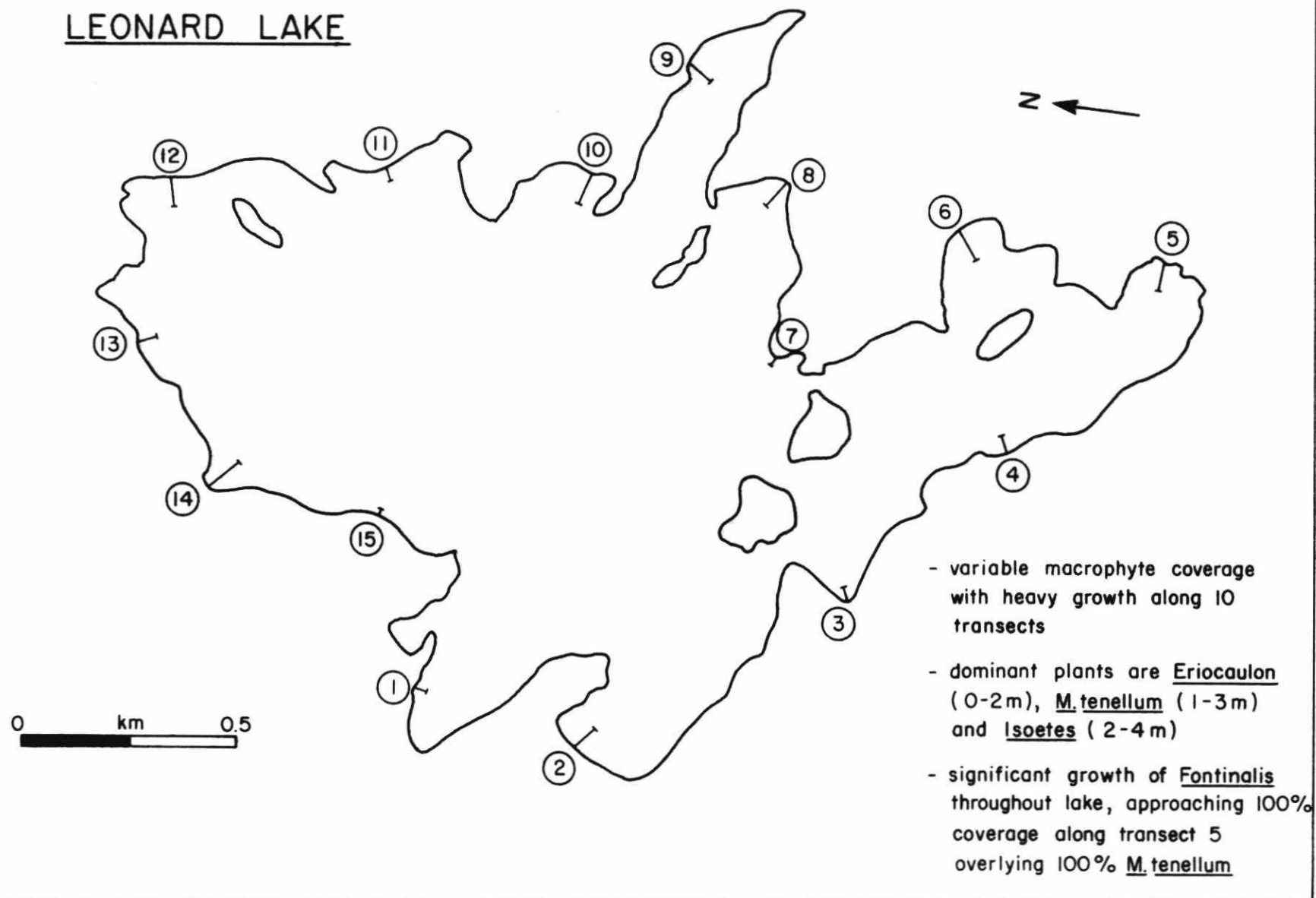


FIG. A-33

LEONARD LAKE
(July 5/79)

Bottom Cover - <5% (x), 5-50% (o), >50% (*)

TRANSECT		1		2				3			4		5		6			7	
DEPTH		0	2.5	0	0.6	2.0	3.5	0	2.0	2.5	0.5	2.0	0	2.0	0	2.0	3.0	0	2.0
ZONE (m)		2.5	3.5	0.6	2.0	3.5	4.0	2.0	2.5	3.0	2.0	3.5	2.0	3.5	2.0	3.0	3.5	2.0	3.5
TOTAL		*	*	o	*	*	o	*	*	o	*	*	*	*	*	*	o	o	o
Elatine minima	1																	x	
Eleocharis acicularis	4			x											o				
Eriocaulon septangulare	14	*		o	*			*			o		o		*			o	
Isoetes sp.	15		o			o	o		o	o		o	o	o		o	o	o	o
Juncus pelocarpus	4			x														x	
Lobelia Dortmanna	10	x			x						x							o	
Lycopus sp.	1																		
Myriophyllum tenellum	11		o		o	o		o	o				*	o		*		x	
Nuphar variegatum	3																		
Nymphoides cordatum	1										x								
Pontederia cordata	5			x															
Potamogeton Oakesianus	1												x						
Sparganium sp.	3	x																	
Utricularia purpurea	2											o		o					
Utricularia resupinata	6		x					*							o	x			
Fontinalis antipyretica	10	x		x							o	o	*	o	o			x	
Sphagnum sp.	3	x		x															

Table A33

LEONARD LAKE (Cont'd.)
(July 5/79)

TRANSECT	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
DEPTH	0 0.5 1.5 2.0	0 1.5	0 1.0 2.0 2.5	2.0 0 2.0 2.5	0 1.8	0 1.5	0	
ZONE (m)	0.5 1.5 2.0 4.0	1.5 3.0	1.0 2.0 2.5 4.0	2.5 2.0 2.5 4.0	1.8 3.5	1.5 3.0	2.0	
TOTAL	x * * o	* *	x * o o	x * o o	o o	o x	o	
Elatine minima	1							
Eleocharis acicularis	4		x			x		
Eriocaulon septangulare	14	x * o	* x *	x x o o	x x o o	o x x	o	
Isoetes sp.	15		x *		x x o o	x o	x x	x
Juncus pelocarpus	4	x				x		
Lobelia Dortmanna	10	x o	o x x		x x			o
Lycopus sp.	1	x x						
Myriophyllum tenellum	11		* x x x o		x o			x
Nuphar variegatum	3		x		x		x	
Nymphoides cordatum	1							
Pontederia cordata	5	x x		x	x		x	
Potamogeton Oakesianus	1							
Sparganium sp.	3	x x			x			
Utricularia purpurea	2							
Utricularia resupinata	6		o x			x x x		
Fontinalis antipyretica	10	x o o o	x x		* x x	x		
Sphagnum sp.	3	x x						

LITTLE CLEAR LAKE

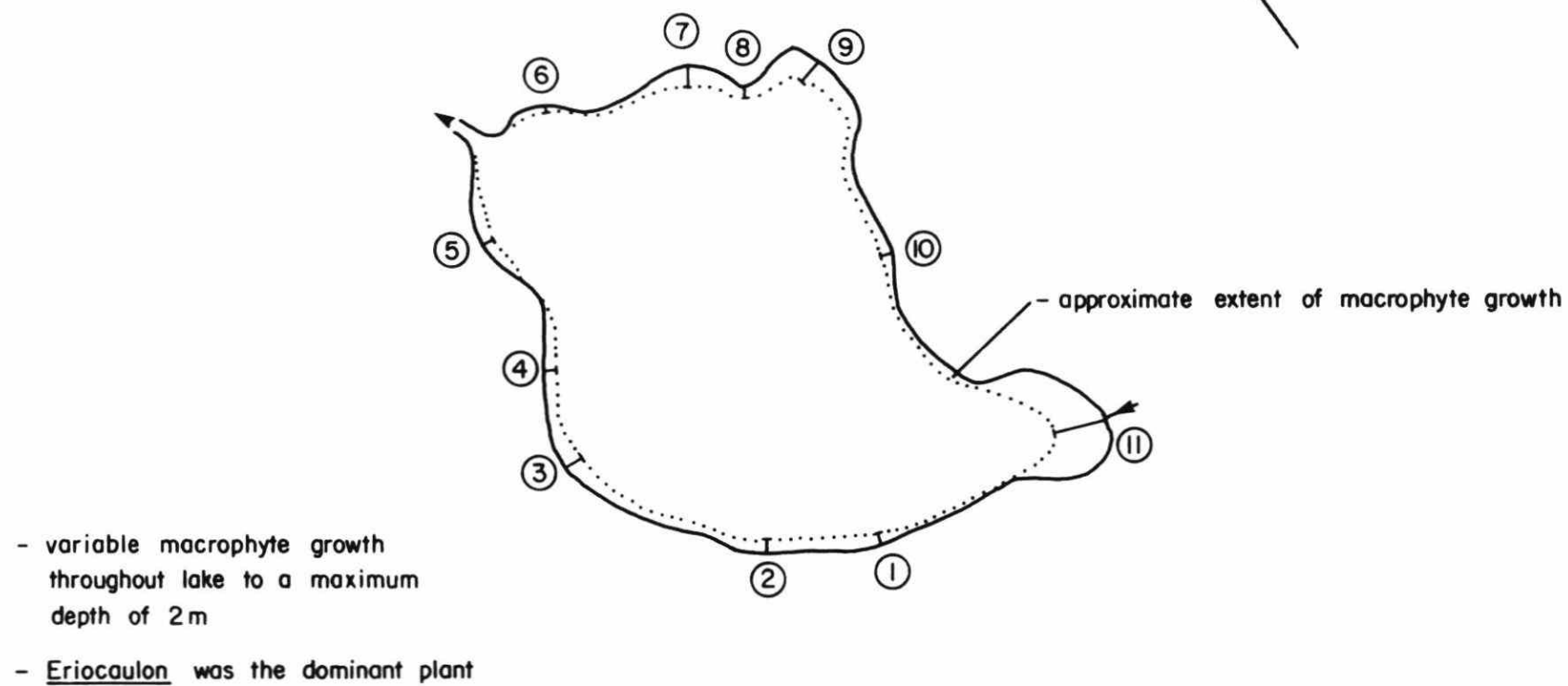


FIG. A-34

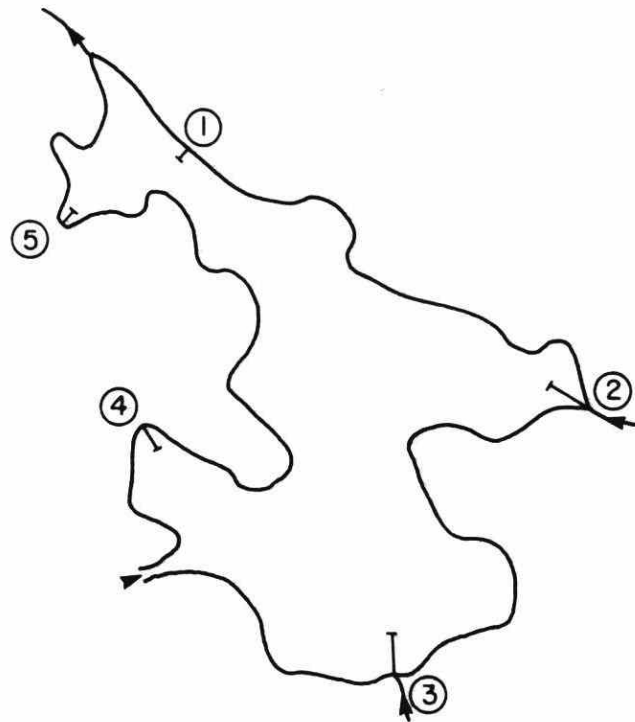
LITTLE CLEAR LAKE Bottom Cover - <5% (x), 5-50% (o), >50% (*)
(July 25/78)

	TRANSECT	1		2		3		4		5		6		7		8		9		10		11	
		DEPTH		DEPTH		DEPTH		DEPTH		DEPTH		DEPTH		DEPTH		DEPTH		DEPTH		DEPTH		DEPTH	
		0	1.5	0	1.5	0	0.5	0	1.5	0	0.5	0	1.0	0	1.3	0	1.5	0	1.5	0	0.5	0	1.2
		1.5	2.0	1.0	0.5	1.5	1.5	0.5	1.0	1.3	1.6	1.5	1.7	1.5	0.5	1.2	1.5	0.5	1.2	1.5	0.5	1.2	1.2
	TOTAL	*	x	o	*	o	o	x	o	o	x	o	x	o	x	*	o	*	o	*	o	*	*
Eleocharis acicularis	3					x																	
Eriocaulon septangulare	11	o		o	*	o		x		o		o		o			x	*		o			x
Isoetes sp.	9			x		x	x	x				x	x	x	x		x		x		x		o
Juncus pelocarpus	1																						x
Lobelia Dortmanna	3															o		o					x
Lycopus sp.	3					x	x											x					
Myriophyllum tenellum	2													x		x							
Nuphar variegatum	9			x	x				x	x		x		x		x		x		x		x	x
Pontederia cordata	4				x													x		x		x	x
Potamogeton epihydrus	2																	x				o	
Sparganium sp.	1					x																	
Utricularia purpurea	8	o	x		o	o	x					x		x		x		x		x		o	
Utricularia vulgaris	2	o	x																				x
Vallisneria americana	2																	x					*
Nitella flexilis	1																						x
Fontinalis antipyretica	5	o	x	x			x													x		o	

Table A34

LITTLE OTTER LAKE

- variable macrophyte growth throughout lake to a maximum depth of 4 m
- very heavy Elodea growth at mouths of inflowing streams



- not drawn to scale

FIG. A-35

LITTLE OTTER LAKE Bottom Cover - <5% (x), 5-50% (o), >50% (*)
(July 5/79)

	TRANSECT	1			2		3		4	5	
	DEPTH	0	2.0	3.0	0	2.0	0.5	1.0	0	0	2.0
	ZONE (m)	0.5	3.0	3.8	2.0	4.0	1.0	3.5	2.0	2.0	4.0
	TOTAL	x	x	x	*	x	*	x	o	o	o
Callitriche sp.	1				x						
Elatine minima	1				x						
Eleocharis acicularis	5	x			o		x		x	o	
Elodea sp.	4	x	x	x	o	x	o	x		o	o
Eriocaulon septangulare	2				x					o	
Isoetes sp.	4		x		o	x	o				x
Juncus militaris	1				x						
Juncus pelocarpus	1				o						
Lobelia Dortmanna	1				x						
Lycopus sp.	2				x		x				
Najas flexilis	2		x		x						
Nymphaea odorata	4		x		x				o	o	
Pontederia cordata	5	x			x		x		x	x	
Potamogeton epihydrus	4				x		x		x	x	x
Potamogeton Robbinsii	5		x		x		x		x	x	o
Potamogeton Vaseyi	3						o		x	x	
Ranunculus reptans	1				x						
Sagittaria sp.	4		x		o	x	o		x		
Utricularia purpurea	1									x	
Utricularia vulgaris	2				x					x	
Vallisneria americana	2		x							x	o
Nitella furcata	1									x	o
Nitella tenuissima	1									x	o
Fontinalis antipyretica	4				x		x		x	x	
Fontinalis duriaei	1				x						

Table A35

LOHI LAKE

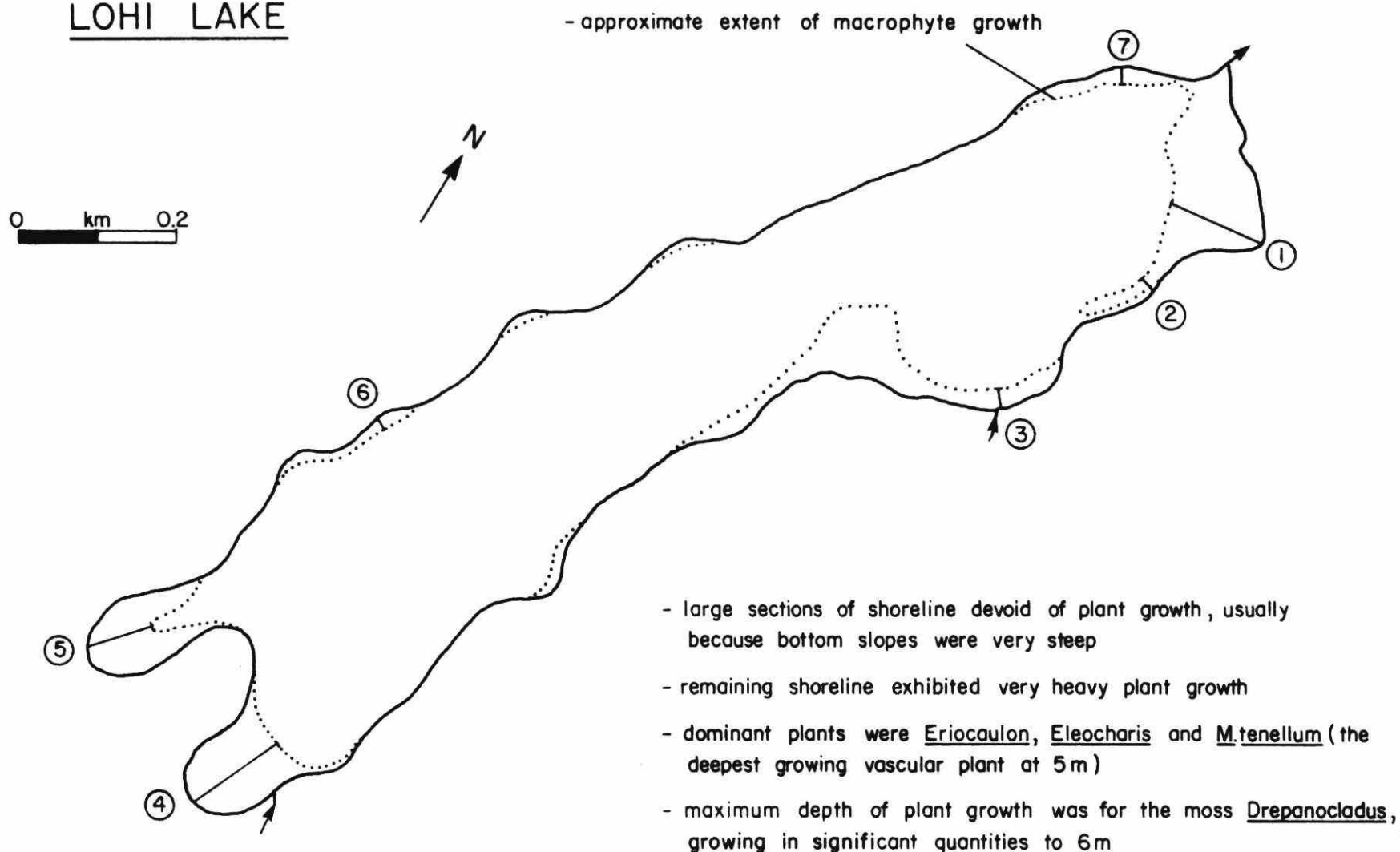


FIG. A-36

LOHI LAKE
(July 19/78)

Bottom Cover - <5% (x), 5-50% (o), >50% (*)

TRANSECT		1				2		3	4			5			6		7
DEPTH		0	0.5	1.5	4.0	0.5	2.0	0	0	1.0	2.0	0	1.0	2.0	0.5	2.0	0.5
ZONE (m)		0.5	1.5	4.0	6.0	2.0	6.0	2.5	1.0	2.0	5.0	1.0	2.0	5.0	2.0	6.0	2.5
TOTAL		*	*	*	o	*	*	*	*	*	*	o	*	*	*	x	*
Eleocharis acicularis	3	o	x						o	o		o	o				
Eleocharis Robbinsii	1	o	x														
Eriocaulon septangulare	7	o	o			*		*	o	o		o	o		*		*
Juncus pelocarpus	4	o						x	o			x					
Myriophyllum tenellum	2										*			*			
Utricularia vulgaris	2								x	x		x	x				
Drepanocladus sp.	5	o	o	*	o		*		x		x	x	o			x	

Table A36

McKAY LAKE

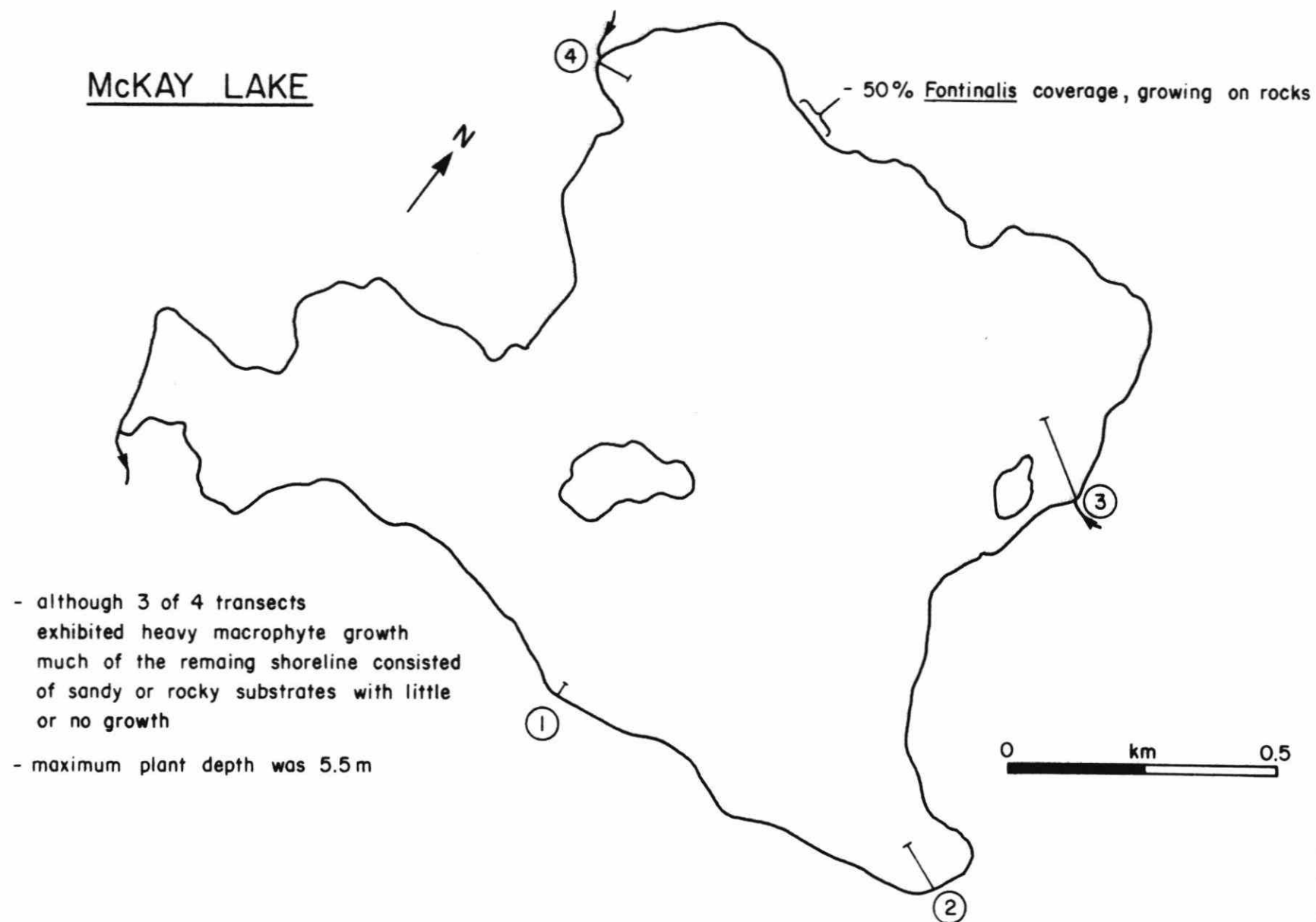


FIG. A-37

Table A37

McKAY LAKE Bottom Cover - <5% (x), 5-50% (o), >50% (*)
(June 19/79)

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FIG. A-38

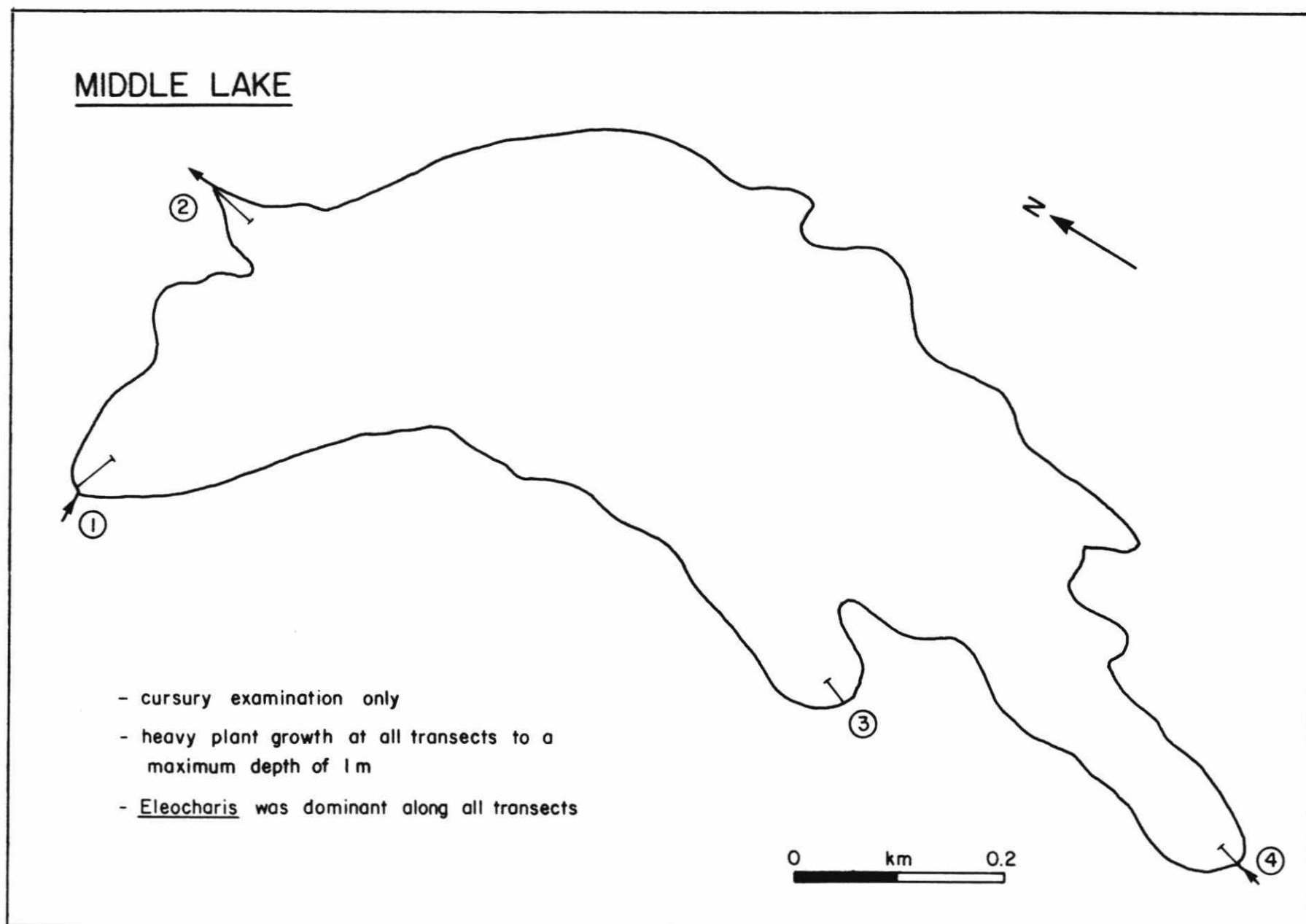


Table A38

MIDDLE LAKE
(July 26/77)

Bottom Cover - <5% (x), 5-50% (o), >50% (*)

TRANSECT	1	2	3	4
DEPTH	0	0	0	0
ZONE (m)	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0
TOTAL	*	*	*	*
Eleocharis acicularis	4	*	*	*
Eriocaulon septangulare	3	x	x	o
Juncus pelocarpus	4	o	x	x
Sagittaria sp.	2	x		x

MOOT LAKE

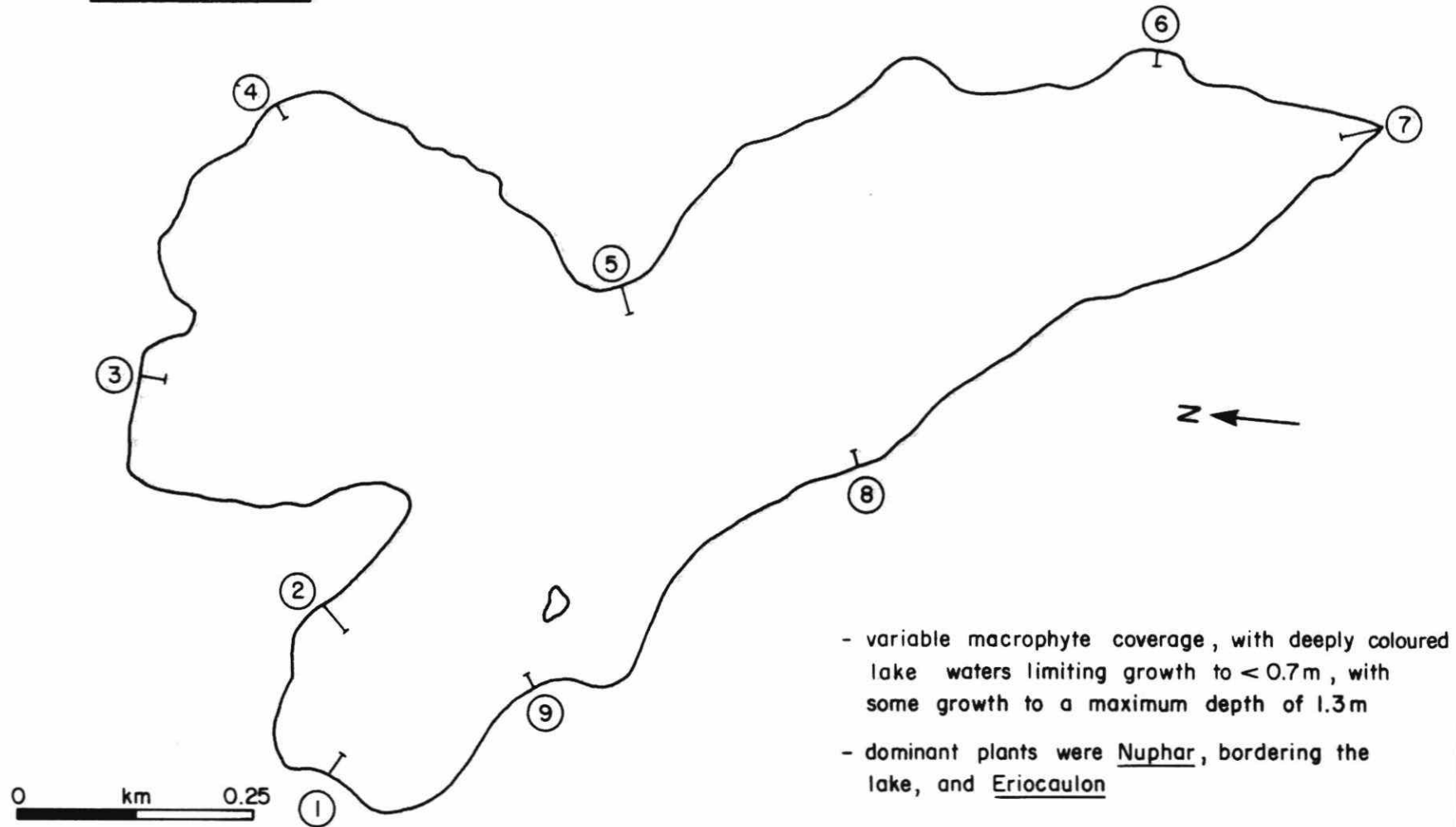


FIG. A-39

MOOT LAKE
(July 31/79)

Bottom Cover - <5% (x), 5-50% (o), >50% (*)

	TRANSECT	1	2		3	4	5	6	7	8	9
DEPTH		0	0	0.7	0.2	0	0	0	0	0	0
ZONE (m)		1.0	0.7	1.3	0.6	0.4	1.0	0.5	0.8	0.6	0.6
TOTAL		*	o	x	x	*	o	o	o	o	x
Eleocharis acicularis	2		x			x					
Eleocharis Robbinsii	3	x			x		x				
Eriocaulon septangulare	7		o		x	*	o	o		x	x
Isoetes sp.	3			x				x	x		
Lobelia Dortmanna	3		o			x	x				
Lycopus sp.	3		x		x			x			
Myriophyllum tenellum	1						x				
Nuphar variegatum	6	*			x	x		o		o	x
Pontederia cordata	7	o	x			x		x	x	x	x
Potamogeton bicupulatus	1				x						
Potamogeton epihydrus	4	x	x			x		x			
Sparganium sp.	2		x								x
Utricularia resupinata	1						x				
Utricularia vulgaris	3	x				x				x	
Fontinalis antipyretica	3		x	x				x	o		

Table A39

NELSON LAKE

- cursory examination only

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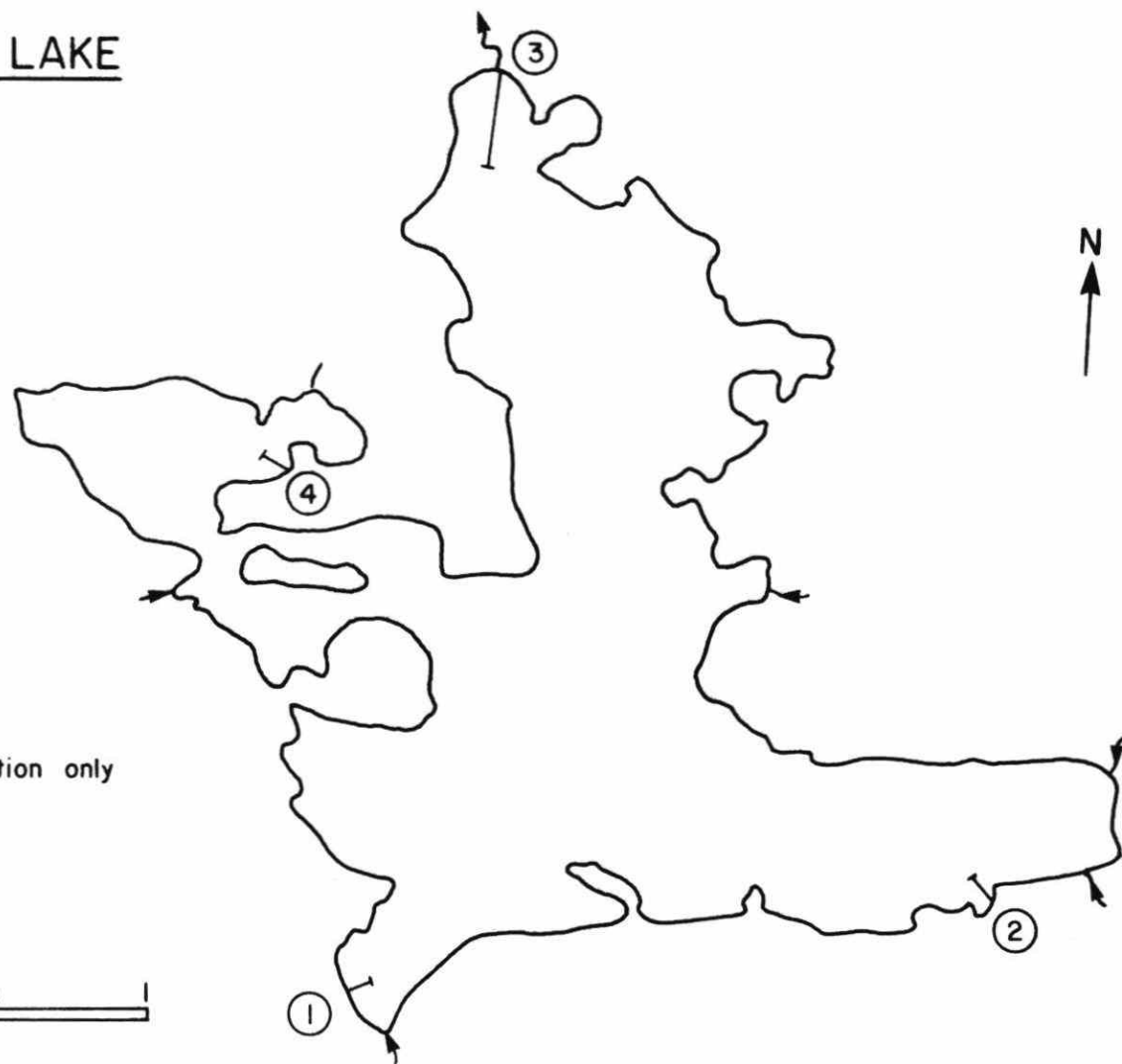


FIG. A-40

Table A40

NELSON LAKE
(July 29/77)

Bottom Cover - <5% (x), 5-50% (o), >50% (*)

TRANSECT		1		2		3		4	
DEPTH		0	0	1.5	2.0	0	3.0	0	0.8
ZONE (m)		2.0	1.5	2.0	2.5	3.0	4.5	0.8	1.5
TOTAL		*	x	o	x	o	*	o	*
Eleocharis acicularis	2			o		o	o		
Eriocaulon septangulare	4	o	x	o		o		o	*
Isoetes sp.	2	x			x				
Juncus militaris	1					x			
Juncus pelocarpus	1					o			
Lobelia Dortmanna	1	x							
Myriophyllum tenellum	2	*				o	o		
Sagittaria sp.	1	x							x
Drepanocladus sp.	1					x			

OTTER LAKE

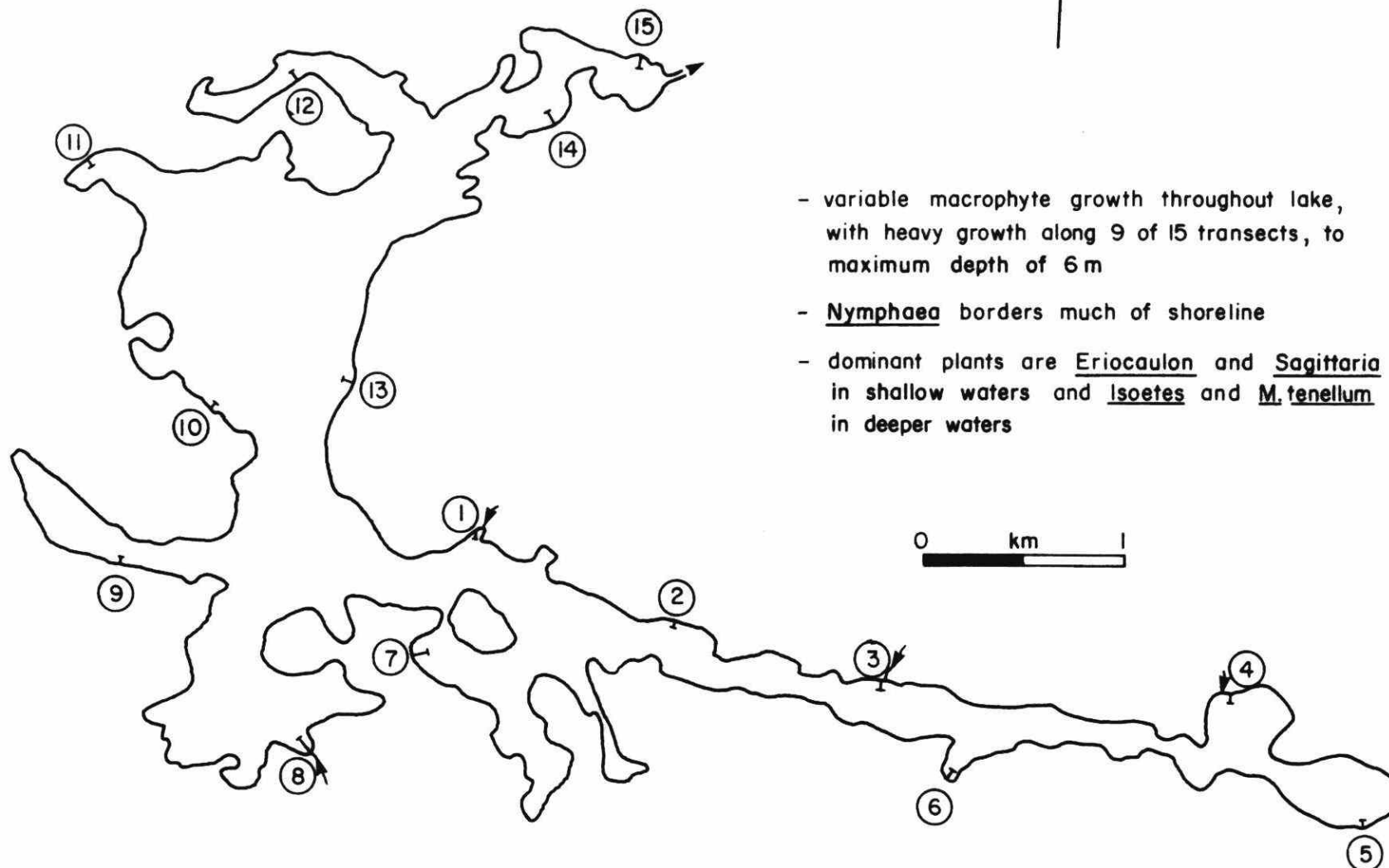


FIG. A-41

OTTER LAKE
(July 3/79)

Bottom Cover - <5% (x), 5-50% (o), >50% (*)

	TRANSECT	1		2		3		4		5		6	7		
		0 2.0	2.0 3.0	0 2.0	2.0 6.0	0 2.0	2.0 4.0	0 2.0	2.0 4.5	0 2.0	2.0 4.5	0 1.0	0 2.0	2.0 3.0	3.0 5.0
TOTAL		o	o	o	o	*	o	*	o	*	*	x	*	o	x
Elatine minima	1					x									
Eleocharis acicularis	7	o				x		o		o			o		
Eleocharis Robbinsii	2														
Eriocaulon septangulare	14	o		o		o		o		o			o	o	
Isoetes sp.	14	o		o		o	o	o	o	o	*		o		x
Juncus pelocarpus	6					o		o		o			o	x	
Lobelia Dortmanna	5	x				x		x		x					
Lycopus sp.	5	x											x		
Myriophyllum tenellum	10		o			o	x				o			o	
Nuphar variegatum	3	x		o				o							
Nymphaea odorata	13					x		o		o		x	x		
Pontederia cordata	8			x						x					
Potamogeton Berchtoldii	2	x	x												
Potamogeton capillaceus	2												x	x	
Potamogeton epihydrus	3					x									
Potamogeton natans	1												x		
Ranunculus reptans	2					o		o							
Sagittaria sp.	11	o				o	x	x					o		
Sparganium sp.	10	x				x		x				x	x		
Utricularia intermedia	2	x													
Utricularia purpurea	2							x							
Utricularia resupinata	6					x		o		x			x		
Utricularia vulgaris	3	x						x							
Nitella furcata	3	o	o			x									
Nitella tenuissima	2							x							
Fontinalis antipyretica	5	o	x							x		x			
Sphagnum subsecundum	2	x										x			
contortum															
Sphagnum subsecundum	2											x			
platyphyllum															

Table A41

OTTER LAKE (Cont'd.)
(July 3/79)

	TRANSECT	8		9		10		11	12	13		14		15	
DEPTH ZONE (m)		0 2.0	2.0 3.5	0 1.0	1.0 4.0	0 3.0	3.0 5.0	0 3.0	0 3.5	1.0 2.0	2.0 5.5	0 1.5	1.5 3.0	0 2.0	2.0 4.0
TOTAL		*	x	o	x	*	*	*	*	*	o	o	o	o	o
Elatine minima	1														
Eleocharis acicularis	7	o							x						
Eleocharis Robbinsii	2	x							o						
Eriocaulon septangulare	14	o		x		o		*	o	o		o		o	
Isoetes sp.	14	o	x	x	x	x	o	o	o	o	o		x		o
Juncus pelocarpus	6	x							o						
Lobelia Dortmanna	5								x						
Lycopus sp.	5	x		x				x							
Myriophyllum tenellum	10	x				x	o	o	o	o		x	o		
Nuphar variegatum	3														
Nymphaea odorata	13	x		x		x		x	x	x		o		x	
Pontederia cordata	8	x		x		x		x				x		x	
Potamogeton Berchtoldii	2	x													
Potamogeton capillaceus	2	o													
Potamogeton epihydrus	3	x		x											
Potamogeton natans	1														
Ranunculus reptans	2														
Sagittaria sp.	11	o				o		x	o	o		o		x	
Sparganium sp.	10	x				x		x					x	x	
Utricularia intermedia	2							x							
Utricularia purpurea	2								o						
Utricularia resupinata	6	x						x							
Utricularia vulgaris	3	x													
Nitella furcata	3	o													
Nitella tenuissima	2	x													
Fontinalis antipyretica	5	x		o											
Sphagnum subsecundum contortum	2			x											
Sphagnum subsecundum platyphyllum	2							x							

PLASTIC LAKE

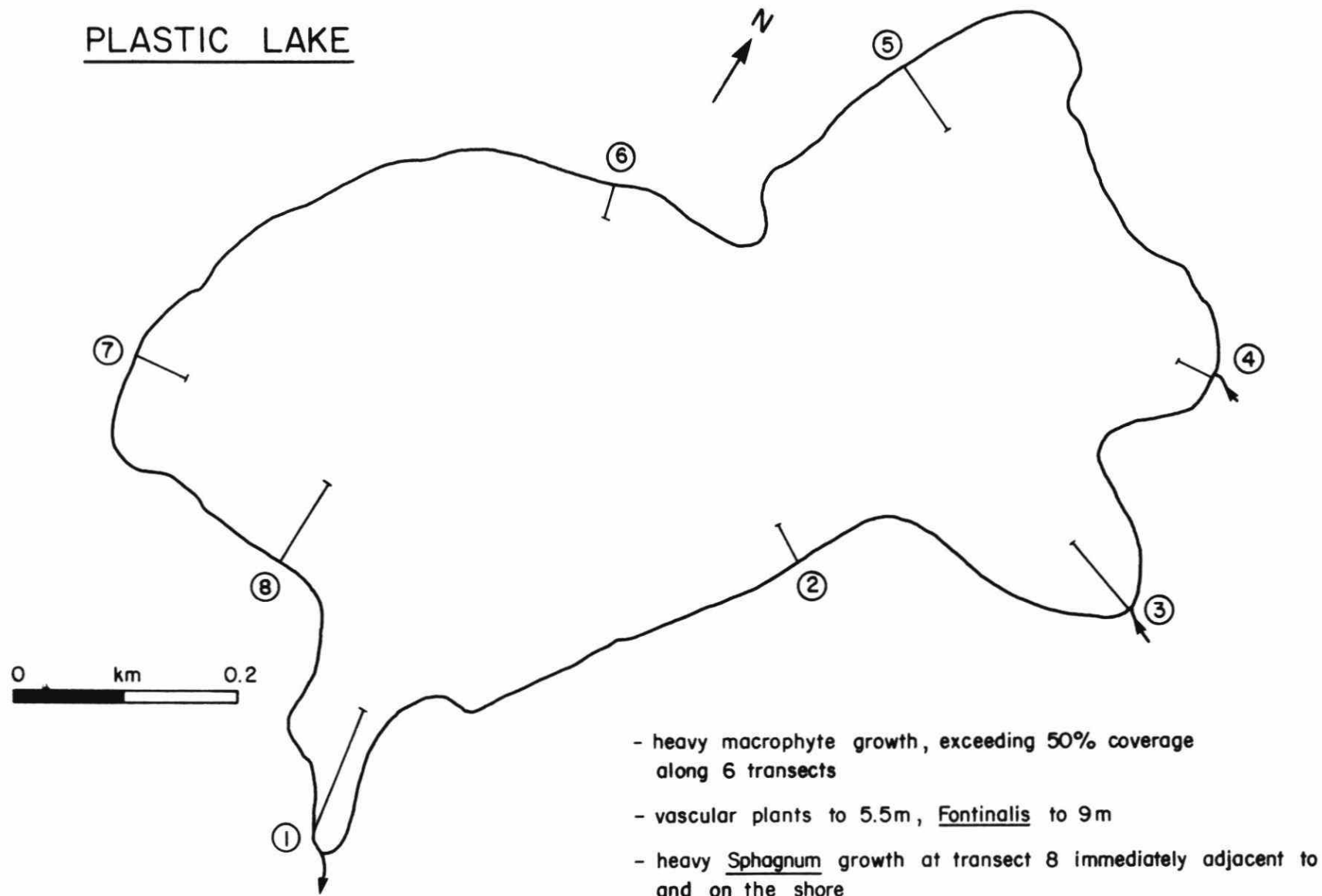


FIG. A-42

PLASTIC LAKE
(Aug. 2/79)

Bottom Cover - <5% (x), 5-50% (o), >50% (*)

	TRANSECT	1				2 ¹			3				4		
		0	1.2	2.7	4.0	1.0	2.2	4.0	0	1.5	2.0	3.0	0	1.4	2.3
	ZONE (m)	1.2	2.7	4.0	5.5	2.2	4.0	4.5	1.5	2.0	3.0	4.5	1.4	2.3	3.5
	TOTAL	o	*	*	*	*	*	o	*	o	o	o	x	o	x
Elatine minima	3					x									
Eleocharis acicularis	1														
Eriocaulon septangulare	8	x	x			o			x	o			x	x	
Isoetes sp.	8	x	o			o	o	o			o	o		x	
Juncus militaris	2					x									
Lobelia Dortmanna	4					o									
Myriophyllum tenellum	4					o	o								
Nuphar variegatum	2								x						
Nymphaea odorata	4									x			x		
Pontederia cordata	4	x							x	x			x		
Potamogeton epihydrus	1												x		
Sparganium sp.	3	x											x		
Utricularia purpurea	6		*	*		x				x	x				
Utricularia resupinata	6	x				o	o								
Utricularia vulgaris	5	x	x			x			x				x	x	
Nitella tenuissima	2		x	o	*									x	x
Fontinalis antipyretica	5									*	o	x		x	
Sphagnum subsecundum	1														
platyphyllum															

¹ There were no plants in missing depth intervals

PLASTIC LAKE (Cont'd.)
(Aug. 2/79)

	TRANSECT	<u>5</u>				<u>6¹</u>		<u>7</u>			<u>8</u>			
	DEPTH	0	2.0	3.0	5.5	1.0	2.5	0	2.0	2.5	0	1.0	2.5	5.1
	ZONE (m)	2.0	3.0	5.5	9.0	1.9	4.7	2.0	2.5	3.5	1.0	2.5	5.1	6.8
	TOTAL	*	*	*	x	o	o	o	*	x	o	*	*	o
Elatine minima	3					x		x						
Eleocharis acicularis	1										o	o		
Eriocaulon septangulare	8	*				o		o			x	o		
Isoetes sp.	8	x	o	*		x	o		o	x	x	o	o	
Juncus militaris	2											x		
Lobelia Dortmanna	4	x						x				x		
Myriophyllum tenellum	4		o						*			o	*	
Nuphar variegatum	2										x			
Nymphaea odorata	4	x						x						
Pontederia cordata	4										x			
Potamogeton epihydrus	1													
Sparganium sp.	3										x			
Utricularia purpurea	6	x						x				x	o	
Utricularia resupinata	6	o	o			o		x	x		x	o	o	
Utricularia vulgaris	5					x					x	x		
Nitella tenuissima	2													
Fontinalis antipyretica	5	x	x	x	x			o	x		o	o	x	o
Sphagnum subsecundum platyphyllum	1										x			

RED CHALK LAKE

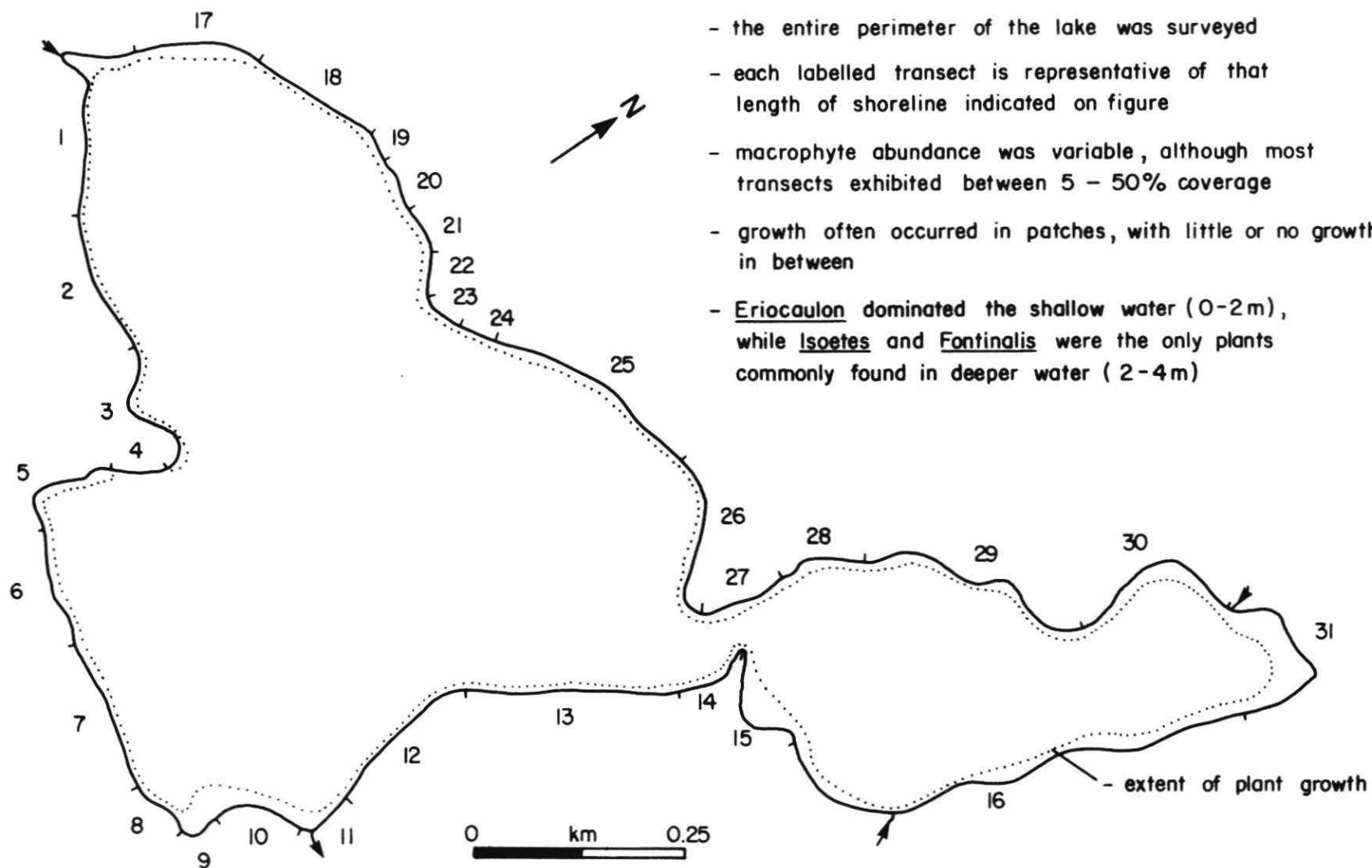


FIG. A-43

RED CHALK LAKE
(May 31/78)

Bottom Cover - <5% (x), 5-50% (o), >50% (*)

	TRANSECT	1	2	3	5	6	7	8	9 ¹	10 ¹	11	12	13
	DEPTH	0	0	0	0	1.0	0	0	0.5	0.4	0	0	0
	ZONE (m)	1.5	1.5	1.0	1.0	1.5	1.0	1.6	2.0	1.0	2.0	0.5	1.0
	TOTAL	*	x	*	o	*	o	o	o	o	o	o	o
Eleocharis acicularis	1												
Eriocaulon septangulare	29	*		*	o	*	o	o	o	o	o	o	o
Isoetes sp.	8												
Juncus pelocarpus	4											x	
Lobelia Dortmanna	17	x				x		x	o	x	o	x	o
Myriophyllum tenellum	7	x						x	x		x		
Nuphar variegatum	13	x	x		x		x						
Nymphaea odorata	1	x											
Sparganium sp.	4	x	x	x	x								
Utricularia purpurea	1												
Utricularia vulgaris	1												
Fontinalis antipyretica	12	x			o								

¹ There were no plants in the missing depth intervals

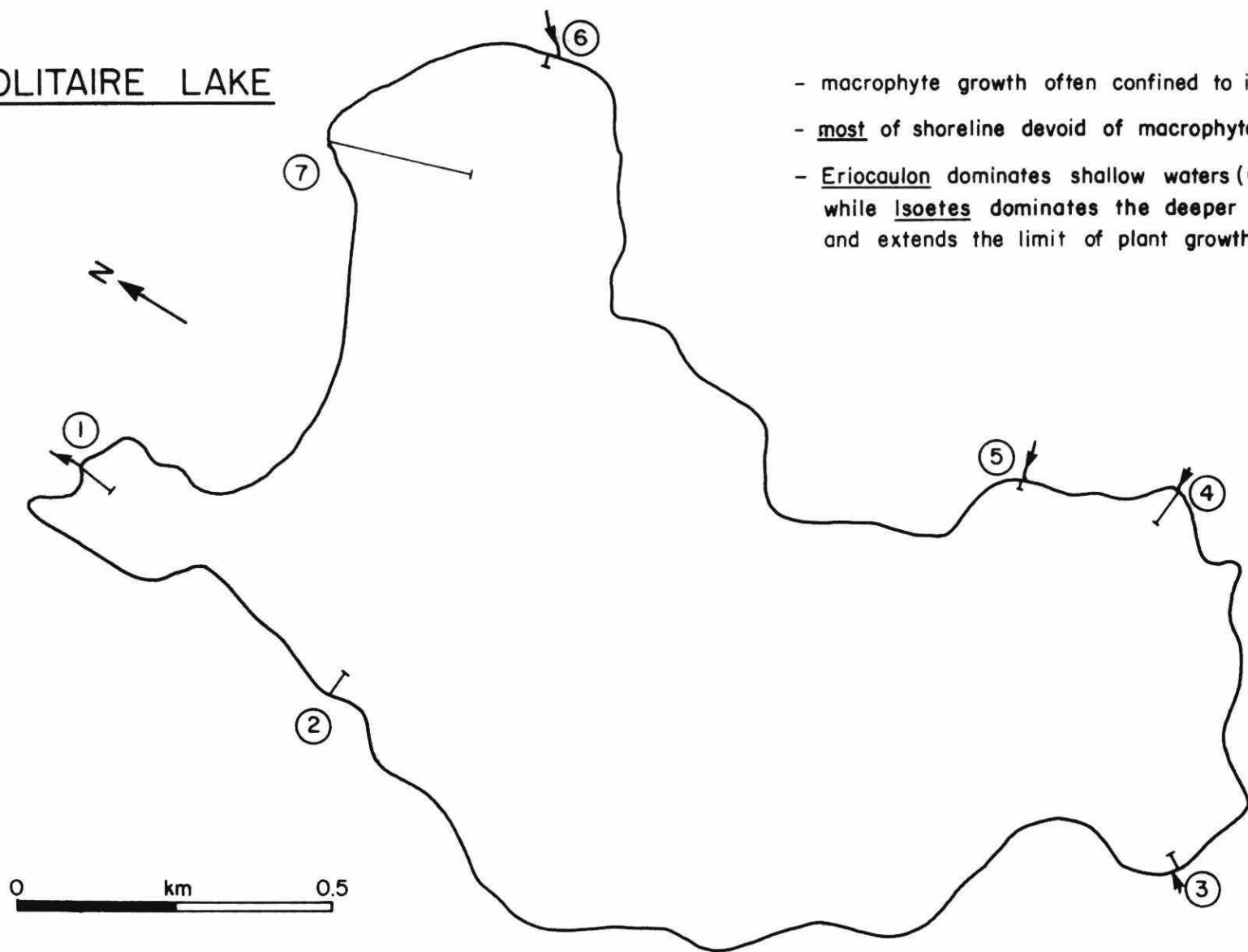
RED CHALK LAKE (Cont'd.)
(May 31/79)

TRANSECT	14	15	16 ¹	17		18		19		20		21	22	
DEPTH	0	0	0.5	0	0.8	0	1.5	0	2.0	0	2.0	0	0	2.0
ZONE (m)	1.0	2.0	1.0	0.8	4.0	1.5	4.0	2.0	4.0	2.0	4.0	2.0	2.0	4.0
TOTAL	o	o	o	*	x	o	x	*	x	o	x	x	x	o
Eleocharis acicularis	1													
Eriocaulon septangulare	29	o	o	o	*	o		o		o		x	x	
Isoetes sp.	8				x	x	x	x		x	x			o
Juncus pelocarpus	4	x						x	x					
Lobelia Dortmanna	17	x			x	x				x				
Myriophyllum tenellum	7					x				x				
Nuphar variegatum	13		x			x				x		x	x	
Nymphaea odorata	1													
Sparganium sp.	4													
Utricularia purpurea	1													
Utricularia vulgaris	1													
Fontinalis antipyretica	12			x	x	x	x	x	o	x	x	x	x	x

RED CHALK LAKE (Cont'd.)
(May 31/78)

	TRANSECT	23	24		25		26		27	28	29	30	31	
	DEPTH	0	0.5	1.5	0.5	1.5	0.5	2.0	0.5	0	0	0	0	1.0
	ZONE (m)	1.5	1.5	3.5	1.5	4.0	2.0	4.0	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.0	2.5
	TOTAL	*	o	x	*	x	*	x	o	o	o	o	o	o
Eleocharis acicularis	1												x	
Eriocaulon septangulare	29	*	o		*		*		o	o	o	o	o	x
Isoetes sp.	8			x				x			x			x
Juncus pelocarpus	4						x							
Lobelia Dortmanna	17	x			o		o				x		x	
Myriophyllum tenellum	7													x
Nuphar variegatum	13								x	x	x	x		
Nymphaea odorata	1													
Sparganium sp.	4													
Utricularia purpurea	1													x
Utricularia vulgaris	1												x	
Fontinalis antipyretica	12				x	x					x	x		

SOLITAIRE LAKE



- macrophyte growth often confined to inlet bays
- most of shoreline devoid of macrophytes
- Eriocaulon dominates shallow waters (0-2 m), while Isoetes dominates the deeper waters and extends the limit of plant growth to 3.5 m

FIG. A-44

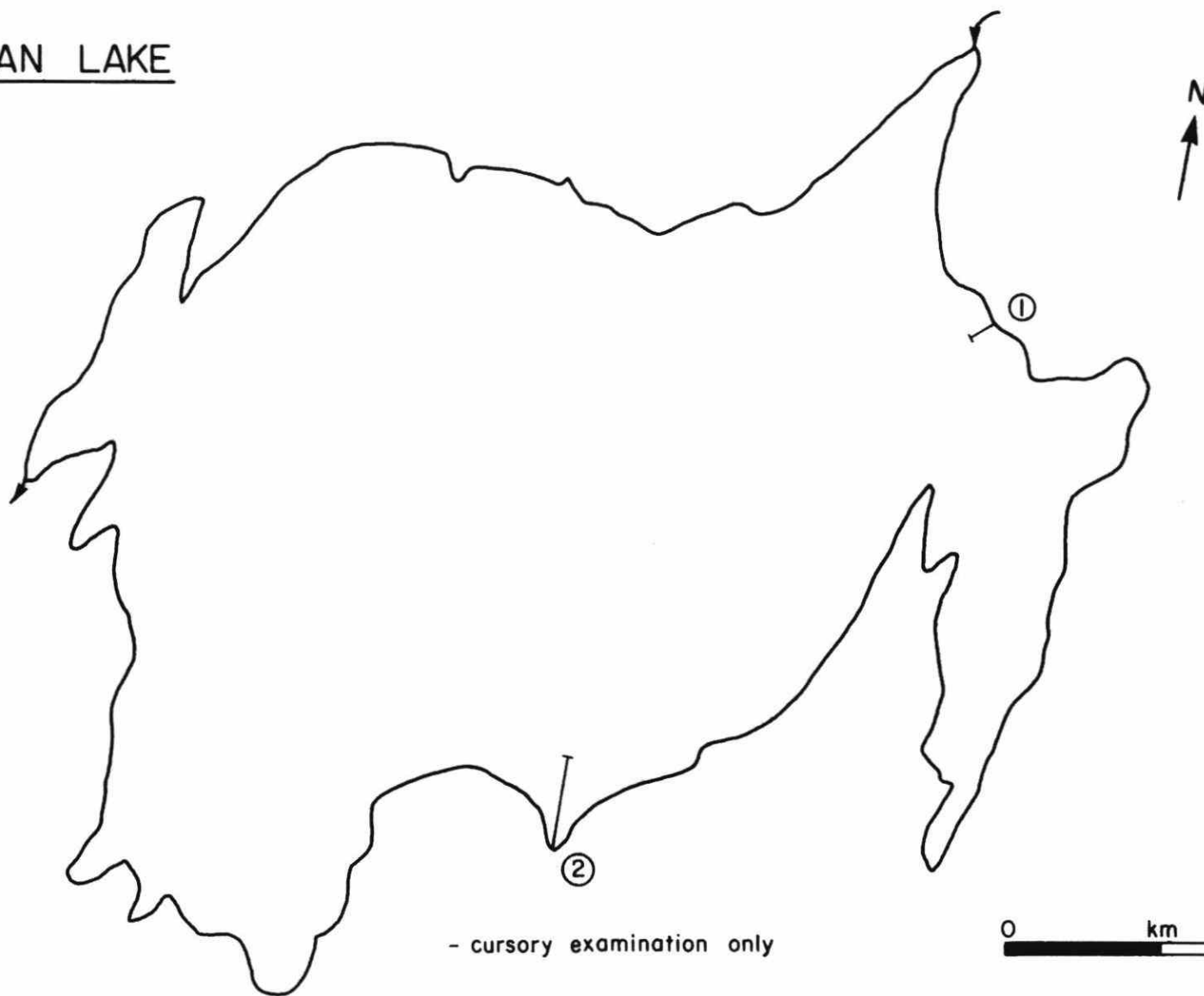
SOLITAIRE LAKE
(July 27/78)

Bottom Cover - <5% (x), 5-50% (o), >50% (*)

TRANSECT		1		2		3		4		5			6		7	
DEPTH ZONE (m)		0	1.5	0	2.0	0	1.5	0	0.5	0	1.0	2.0	0		0	0.5
		1.5	3.5	2.0	3.0	1.5	3.0	0.5	3.5	1.0	2.0	3.0	1.5		0.5	2.0
TOTAL		x	x	o	x	x	x	x	*	o	o	x	o		*	x
Elatine minima	1														x	
Eriocaulon septangulare	6	x		o				x		x	o		o		*	x
Isoetes sp.	7	x	x		x	x	x	x	*	x			x		x	x
Juncus pelocarpus	1														x	
Lobelia Dortmanna	2			x											x	
Fontinalis antipyretica	2							x	x	o	x	x				

Table A44

SWAN LAKE



- cursory examination only

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FIG. A-45

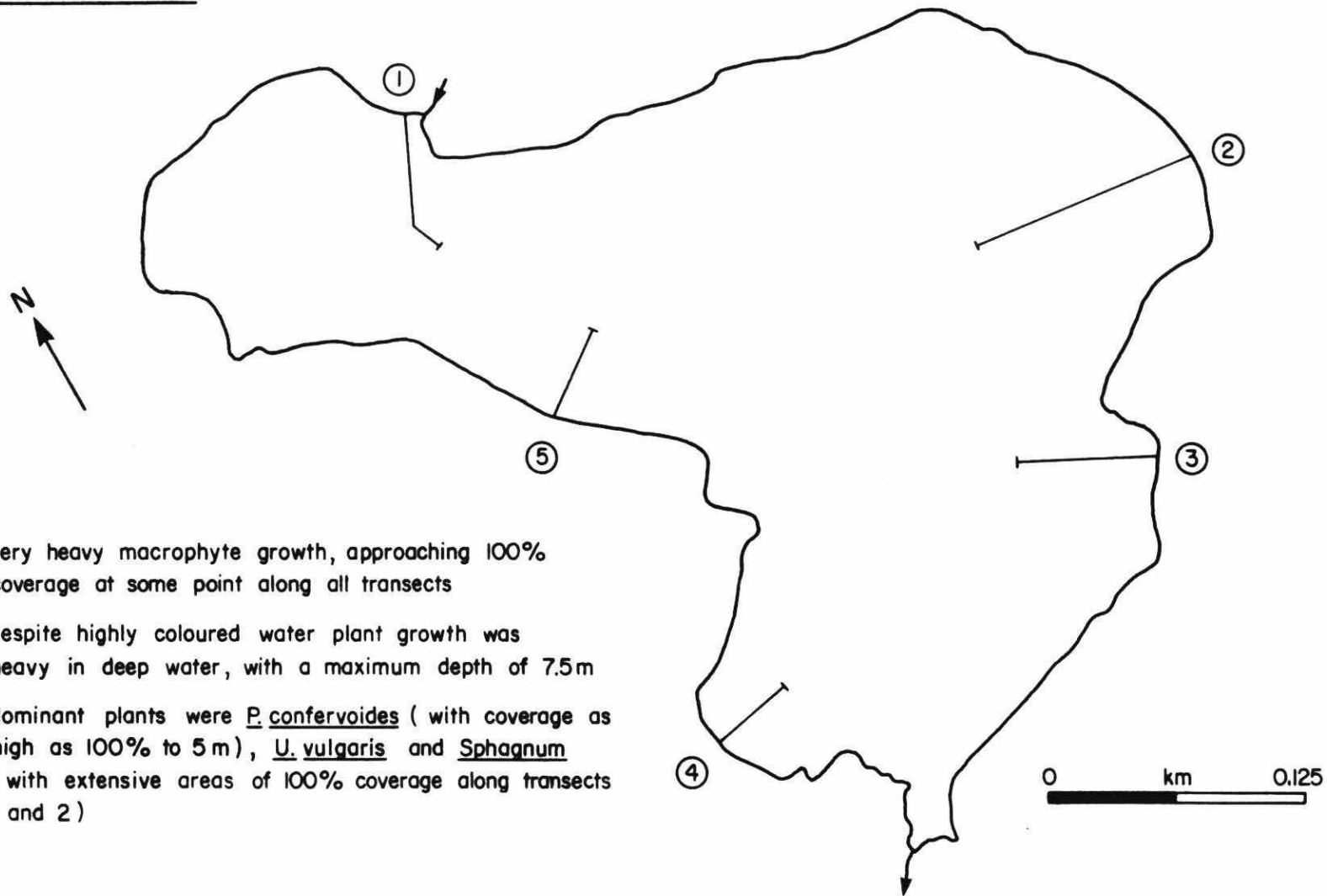
Table A45

SWAN LAKE
(July 29/77)

Bottom Cover - <5% (x), 5-50% (o), >50% (*)

TRANSECT		1	2
DEPTH		0	0
ZONE (m)		2.0	2.0
TOTAL		*	*
Eleocharis acicularis	2	o	o
Sagittaria sp.	1		x
Utricularia vulgaris	2	*	o
Drepanocladus sp.	1	o	

TERRY LAKE



- very heavy macrophyte growth, approaching 100% coverage at some point along all transects
- despite highly coloured water plant growth was heavy in deep water, with a maximum depth of 7.5m
- dominant plants were P. confervoides (with coverage as high as 100% to 5m), U. vulgaris and Sphagnum (with extensive areas of 100% coverage along transects 1 and 2)

FIG. A-46

TERRY LAKE
(July 15/79)

Bottom Cover - <5% (x), 5-50% (o), >50% (*)

TRANSECT		1			2				3		4			5		
DEPTH		0	3.0	6.0	0	1.5	3.5	5.0	0	2.1	0	1.5	4.3	1.0	1.5	3.8
ZONE (m)		3.0	6.0	7.5	1.5	3.5	5.0	7.5	2.1	5.5	1.5	4.3	7.5	1.5	3.8	7.5
TOTAL		*	*	x	o	*	*	*	*	x	*	*	x	o	*	x
Brasenia Schreberi	5	o			x				x		o			x		
Eriocaulon septangulare	4				x	x			x		o			o		
Isoetes sp.	1	x														
Juncus militaris	1	x														
Lycopus sp.	5	x			x				x		x			x		
Nuphar variegatum	5	x			x				x		x			x		
Nymphoides cordatum	1	x														
Pontederia cordata	5	x			x				x		x			x		
Potamogeton confervoides	5	*			x	*	*		o			*	x	o	*	
Potamogeton epihydrus	1	x														
Sagittari sp.	1				x											
Sparganium sp.	2				x				x							
Utricularia purpurea	3	x		x		o									o	
Utricularia vulgaris	5	o			o	o			o	x	o	o		o	o	
Fontinalis antipyretica	1							x								
Pohlia nutans schimperii	1								x							
Sphagnum subsecundum	5		*	x				*	x				x			x
contortum																

Table A46



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MOE/MAC/ANXE

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MOE/MAC/ANXE

Hitchin, Gordon G.

Macrophyte data from

46 southern Ontario ^{soft water} anxe

lakes of varying pH. c.1 a aa